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BOARDING-HOUSE SCARE.

. Poisoned at A Number of [ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]
WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—The boarders and servants at No. 215 East Capitol street, a large boarding-house, several blocks from the Capitol war.

tol street, a large boarding-house, several blocks from the Capitol, were badly scared last night asthe result of poison following dinner. Twenty-six of the boarders and servants were made ill, but while some of them are still suffering quite severely from the tatack, it is believed the recovery of all to assured.

Representatives Bodine and Lloyd of Missouri were among those attacked, but were able to be about today. Mrs. odine and Mrs. Lloyd and the latter's two children were not so fortunate

Congressmen, and Capt. Williams, a door-keeper at he House of Representatives, were also badly affected. The physicians summoned have been unable as yet to tell the cause of the poisoning.

Severe Sleet Storm. LINCOLN (Neb.,) Feb. 10.-A sleetstorm of unusual severity prevailed last night and today in Lincoln and throughout Southwestern and Central Nebraska. The damage in this city is considerable, the telephone company being the grogatest and and the company still suffering dutte severely from the tatack, it is believed the recovery of all io assured.

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# HARBOR BIDS.

# Are Opened at the Office of Maj. Davis.

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#### A VERY WIDE DIVERGENCE.

One Bid Exceeds Amount Appropriated.

But All Cut Away Under Secretary Alger's Estimates.

Ugly Light Thrown on His Methods of Obstruction.

DOUBT BETWEEN TWO BIDS.

Lowest on One Specification but not on Another-Saving Expected of a Million Under the Congressional Appropriation.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.] SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 10.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Bids for the construction of the proposed breakwater at San Pedro were opened at noon in the office of Maj. Charles E. L. B. Davis of the United States Engineer Corps, in the Flood Building. opening of the sealed proposals was tractors, and the engineers' office was crowded to the doors when the hour arrived for the breaking of the seals and announcing the bids.

The most peculiar feature of these bids was that not one came up to the figure given by Secretary Alger when he first began his campaign of delay. He said then that the breakwater would cost \$5,000,000. one bidder, a New York firm, came within a half million of this figure. The average of the bids was \$2,500,-000, and the lowest was \$1,303,198. This will not make pleasant reading for Secretary Alger, as it throws an ugly light on the methods that he used to discourage work at San Pedro and proves that he either disregarded estimates given to him, or else that the government engineers who made the estimates were incompetent.

The construction of the deep-water harbor at San Pedro is one of the largest contracts of the kind ever let measure, the wide interest manifested in the outcome of the competition. bid on the big contract were present, besides several contractors from remote sections of the State, and were busy during the reading of the proposals making notes of the figures as they were announced.

There were seventeen bids in all, and they were far apart in their lati-According to the government estimate, which formed the basis of the authorization made by the last Congress for the construction of the deep-water harbor, the work was expected to cost somewhere in the neighborhood of \$2,900,000. The range of figures contained in several proposals was astonishing. The National Contracting Company of New York City wanted the contract for \$4,595. 516, while Heldmaier & Neu of Chicago, offered to do the work for as low as \$1,303,198.

Each contractor was required, under the specifications, to bid on two propositions. One proposition called for the taking of stone from private quarries and the other called for the taking of stone from the government reservation on San Clemente Island. On the first proposition the bid of Hingston & Sylvester of Buffalo, N. Y., is the lowest, and on the other proposition the bid of Heldmaier & of Chicago is the lowest by a considerable margin. The awarding of the contract thus depends on The awarding whether the government shall decide to allow rock for the construction of the breakwater to be quarried on its reservation on San Clemente Island. If this permission shall be granted, as measure of economy, the contract will go to Heldmaier & Neu of Chicago, provided, of course, that a satisfactory and sufficient bond shall be furnished.

It was whispered by some of the bidders after the bids were opened that Heldmaier & Neu and !lingston & Sylvester would probably come to the conclusion that they did not want the contract at the figures quoted by them, in which case the next highest bidder woud be given the work. T. E. Gibbon, attorney for the Ter-

minal Railway, who watched the openterest, said:

"There were sixteen bidders from all parts of the United States. offered to build the San Pedro breakwater for less than \$2,900,000, the amount fixed by the act of Congress that provided for the location of the harbor. For months after the Harbor Board appointed by President Clevc-land had published its decision, Secretary Alger contended that the work could not be done for less than \$5,000,-000, and the people of Southern California challenged him to put the question to the test by advertising for bids. He should now be convinced of his error, when so many firms that make a business of doing contract work, enter into competitoin to secure the work at one-half or less of the Secretary of War's estimate.

"The breakwater will be constructed so far below the cost anticipated by Congress that we may hope to secure at least \$1,000.000 for improvement of the inner harbor. That will be our next move."

THE BIDS IN DETAIL.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]
SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 10.—At noon today the bids for contracts for the improvement of San Pedro Harbor were opened at the office of Maj. Davis of the United States Enginee. Corps, in the Flood Building,

The room was crowded tractors, who, notebooks and pencils in hand, anxiously recorded the fig-ures read out by Maj. Davis and carefully recorded by his assistants. In all, seventeen bids were presented, there being represented some of the largest and most prominent contracting firms in this country.

The work to be done, as called for in the specifications, is the building of a jetty or breakwater. The contractors were allowed the privilege of furnishing their own material, procured from any source they saw fit. or of bidding on rock to be taken from the San Clemente quarry, a government reservation. Most of the bids included both propositions, it being noticeable that in each instance there was quite a marked reduction where the rock was to be taken from the San Clemente quarry. One or two of the contractors bid only on the San Clemente quarry; others preferred to furnish their own material.

In explanation of the bids, it may be added that four classifications were required, as follows: The foundation course, the substructure, the superstructure and the concrete work. Three of the courses are required to be built of rock, the only difference being in the dimensions of the respective strata, the foundation of course being wider than the substructure, and the substructure, in turn, being a little wider than the superstructure. The concrete is a classification by itself.

It is generally supposed, in this instance, that, following the usual custom, the contract will be let to the lowest bidder. However, the final disposition of the matter will depend upon the sufficiency of the bond offered by the successful bidder.

Maj. Davis will recommend that the firm whose bid proves to be the lowest be awarded the contract. He will determine this point, but the rest will depend upon the decision of the Secretary of War.

It will require much calculation to on the Coast, which explains, in some determine whose bid was the lowest. To determine the total amount bid in each instance, it will be necessary Many eastern contractors who had to multiply the bid per ton for foundation, by 136,020, the bid on the substructure by 1,933,603, the bid on the superstructure by 221,025, and the bid on the concrete by 2370. The concrete is computed to cubic gards, the other courses by the long ton.

The total amounts of the various details of the proposed improvements called for by the specifications were as follows:

Foundation, 136,026 tons; substructure, 1,933,603 tons; superstructure, 221,625 tons; concrete, 2370 cubic vards.

The bids in detail were: Knash & Gillen, Racine, Wis.: Foundation, \$1.07 per ton; substructrue, \$1.07; superstructure, \$3; concrete, per cubic yard, \$6.

Hingston & Sylvester, Buffalo, N. Y .: Own rock, foundation, 70 cents: substructure, 51 cents; superstructure, \$1.90: concrete, \$7.50 With San Clemente rock: Foundation, 65 cents; substructure, 46 cents: superstructure, Foundation, 65 cents;

\$1.60; concrete, \$7.50. Heldmaier & Neu. Chicago: Own rock, foundation, 63 cents; sub-structure, 63 cents; superstructure, \$1.66; concrete, \$6.80. With San Clemete rock, foundation, 41½ cents; sub-structure, 54½ cents; superstructure, 72 cents; concrete, 86.80. Smith & Mallory, Sherrytown, Iowa:

Foundation, 79 cents; substructure, 73 superstructure, \$1.45; con-Rudolph Axman & Co., San Pedro: Foundation, 64 cents; substructure, 70 cents; superstructure, \$1.43; con-

California Construction Company, San Francisco: Own rock, foundation, 95 cents; substructure, 95 cents; superstructure, \$1.95; concrete, \$5.65. San Clemente rock, foundation, 87 cents; substructure, 55 cents; superstructure, 12.90; concrete, 85.65. National Construction Company, New

National Constitution Company, New York: Own rock, foundation, \$2; substructure, \$2; concrete, \$6. San Clemente rock, foundation, 97½ cents; substructure, 97½ cents; superstructure, 97½ cents; concents; superstructure, 97½ cents; concrete, \$6.
Griffiths & McDermott, Chicago:

(CONTINUED ON THIRD PAGE.)

# Such the Findings of the Committee.

Memorial Will Be Sent to the National Senate.

This Implies a Resolution to Unseat Him.

Partial Report Will Be Presented to the Ohio Senate Tuesday—Will Cover the Otis Case Only—Other Investigations to Be Made.

IBY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.] COLUMBUS (O.,) Feb. 10 .- [Exclusive Dispatch.l The Ohio Serate Bribery Investigation Committee will make a report finding Senator Marcus A. Hanna "guilty of attempting to bribe Representative John C. Otis of Cincinnati, through his (Hanna's) duly-authorized agents." Such a report is now being prepared, and will be signed by a majority of the com-Senator Garfield is expected mittee. to submit a minority report. The committee will report next Tuesday if the present programme is carried This will be a partial report, out.

covering the Otis case only. The report will embrace a memorial to the United States Senate, asking that such action be taken as is provided by law in such cases, which means a resoluion to unseat Hanna It is said there will be votes enough to adopt the report. But little testimony will be taken by the commit-

tee between now and Tuesday.

After the committee has reported to the Senate, it will go to Cleve-land. There it will undertake to investigate the political methods Senator Marcus A. Hanna. While in Cleveland the committee will endeavor to secure the testimony of Mai. Dick, Senator Hanna, and other leading lights of the Hanna faction of the Republican party. From 'leve land the committee will go to Cincinnati to investigate Senator Hanna's political methods in that city Following the Cincinnati trip, probably the committee will undertake the investigation of the charge of the attempt to bribe Senator Lake F. Jones, although this Jones investigation may be sandwiched in between

the Cleveland and Cincinnati trips The committee, after the Jones investigation, will investigate any other charges of bribery that may be preferred or have been preferred. purishment of the men who have refused to testify before the committee will not be attempted until all of the evidence is in. Then the committee will ask the State to have them failed

#### MAYOR MCKISSON CONTESTS.

Bases His Action on the Ground of [BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

sive Dispatch.] Mayor McKisson this are not worth more than \$150,000 COLUMBUS (O.,) Feb. 10.-[Exclu-

#### sent to the Clerk of the tice of contest against the seating of Senator Hanna for the long and short terms! He bases his contest upon the ground that Hanna was not legally elected, because he or his friends used illegitimate influence to secure the

necessary seventy-three votes. The fact that the Mayor had taken the step was kept very quiet, but it leaked out from an authoritative source. The law prescribes that a contest must be filed within thirty days from the date of the election, and the notice will, therefore, reach Washington just in the nick of time.

#### DISTILLERS HEARD.

Want an Extension of Time to Regange Whisky in Bond.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—The sub-Committee on Internal Revenue of the Committee on Ways and Means gave a hearing to George W. Harris, representing the Kentucky distillers; J. E. McNamara of W. W. Johnson & Co., Cincinnati; J. H. Holmes of Cleveland,

Cincinnati; J. H. Holmes of Cleveland, J. E. Pontfriest of ittsburgh and S. J. Lanaha of Baltimore today, who appeared to advocate the passage of the Bromwell Bill, extending the pediod in which the whisky in bond can be refauged, from four to eight years.

The contention of the delegation and the principal spokesman, Mr. Harris, was that both the government and the distiller would be benefitted by this extension. Mr. Harris asserted that the government had lost \$100,000,000 in revenue in the last four years from the Kentucky distillers alone, owing to the reduction of production.

PROTECTING OUR SHIPPING.

PROTECTING OUR SHIPPING. [ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]
WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—Senator Frye today secured the passage by the Frye today secured the passage by the Senate of a bill amending the navigation laws in important particulars affecting the coasting trade of this country. The bill-is of general application, but it is intended especially to prevent Canadian vessels from securing an undue share of the carrying business between Alaskan and American ports. It will prevent Canadians easily the second of the carrying sample. It will prevent Canadians gaining par of our carrying trade.

#### FORGOT HIS ORDERS.

Train Wreeked in Consequence and Five Men Killed.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

MONTGOMERY (Ala.,) Feb. 10 .disastrous head-end collision occurred on the Louisville and Nashville Railroad today near Kirkland, killing William User, engineer; Ed Davis, fire-man, and three white tramps. Henry Davidson, engineer, and William Lee, fireman, were seriously injured. Charles Harrison, brakeman, had both I gescut off, and Brakeman Hughes was badly hurt. Both will die. Engineer Davidson forgot to stop at Lirkland to meet No. 11. Cars and engines were badly demolished.

Large St. Louis Building Burned. Large St. Louis Building Burned.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 10.—The five-story building at No. 512 Locust street, occupied by the Tamblin-Powers Clothing Company, is almost wholly destroyed by fire and a portion of the \$50,000 stock burned. In addition, several thousand dollars' damage was suffered by the Leonard Roos Fur Company, whose stock in an adjoining building was drenched with water. The loss on building amounts to \$50,000, and \$25,000 will probably cover the damage to the stocks of clothing and fur.

#### Oil Company in Distress.

DENVER (Colo.,) Feb. 10.—An application for a receiver for the Rocky Mountain Oil Company was made in

# Points of the news in Today's Times.

SUMMARY.

Associated Press night report, including commercial, 12,880 words;
Times exclusive dispatches, 2765 words; day report, 11,040 words—total 26,685

from the Seventh Ward....Search for bor work....Alaskans appeal for mar buried treasure in Elysian Park...Dis- tial law-Two steamers of gold-hunt astrous fire in the City Warehouse. Commerce today .... Saloon-keepers ar- Honolulu-Fast voyage of clipper ship raigned for violating the Sunday-closing ordinance ... Fifteen-year-old boy gets ten years in Folsom for attempted .. Traffic resumed through the Santa Fé tunnel at Williams .... A toomuch-married Chinese woman arrested for bigamy .... Will of the late Samuel J. Lewis filed for probate .... Arrangements completed for the Republican banquet tomorrow night .... A forged check given in payment for a Klondike outfit .... One hundred fortune seekers to sail today from San Pedro to Alaska. Pickpockets reap a rich harvest at San Pedro among Klondikers ... Reception by the Signal Corps at the Armory ... A Chinaman causes the arrest of a po liceman....Committee of Thirty decides not to hold the flesta .... Bunco men escape punishment through th

esting addresses at the Epworth League Assembly. Southern California-Page 13.

convenient disappearance of their vic

tim....Poker sharps encounter a sucke

who proves a match for them .... Inter-

Ventura murderer does not regr his crime....Pasadena wrathy over the sign ordinance .... Lin coln Memorial League organized at Santa Ana....San Diego Board of Supervisors...Missing Pomona man heard from .... Redlands City Trustees meet At Large-Pages 1, 2, 3:

Dispatches were also received from Ala.; Washington, Havana, Woodland, San Francisco, Denver, Chicago, New York and other places.

The City-Pages 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 14, | Pacific Coast-Page 3.

A. M. Bragg elected School Director | Opening of bids for San Pedro Har astrous fire in the City Warehouse. ers leave Seattle....San José capital-Annual meeting of the Chamber of ist charged with fraud....Boom at from San Francisco-Spreckels seeks to control the steamer trade to the islands ... Oregon man tortured by rob bers .... San Francisco Chamber Commerce working for the canal News from the Orient and Australia. Arizona man blows out his brains Immensely rich gold discoveries ici Alaska .... Arizona Supreme Court ad ourns .... Suit at San Francisco wil decide nationality of Clipperton Isl General Eastern-Pages 1, 2, 3.

Minister de Lome fired by the State Department-Cuban Junta jubilant League American Wheelmen elect of ficers....Bowers too much of a silverite to be considered .... Burners of Seminole Indians on trial....Lieut. Peary believes Andre is lest ... Official con irmation at Washington of the assassination of President Barrios of Guate propriation Bill ... Gen. Booth calls of President McKinley .... Pittsburgh fire causes eighteen deaths.

By Cable-Pages 1, 2, 3, Zola trial without exciting incident

Spanish Cabinet has not yet named De Lome's successor....Japan will not withdraw from Wei Hai Wei. Havana press jumping De Lome. Financial and Commercial-Page 12.

and money .... Chicago and San Francisco produce .... London stock markets dull ... Features of New York stock market....Oil and silver.

# King James First of Trinidad Dead.

#### Baron Harden Hickey Ends His Life With Poison.

Leaves a Sensational Letter for the Baroness.

Says He Prefers to De a Dead Gentlemen to a Living Blackguard. Found in Bed at an El Paso Hetel-Bawaiian Plot.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

EL PASO (Tex..) Feb. 10.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Baron Harden Hickey, the dad, an island off the coast of Brazil, and who was son-in-law of H. M. Flagler, the Standard Oil magnate, nmitted suicide in the city today by swallowing enough morphine to kill half a dozen men. Hickey had been in this city exactly one week. He came here from Mexico, and was a guest at the Pierson Hotel, and was seen alive by the clerk at 7:30 o'clock ast evening, when he retired, and at 11:30 o'clock an effort was made to arouse him, but as no answer was re-ceived from within the bedroom ar entrance was effected through the

ying as if asleep in a perfectly natural ondition, but it was quickly discovered that he was dead. A large bottle on the mantel containing morphine, with one-third of the contents gone, was evidence of the means employed to orcduce death. Beside the bed, on a chair, was a farewell letter, written o his wife and addressed to her at orona (Riverside) Cal. It reads as

"My Dearest-No news from although you have had plenty of time to answer my last. I expect to leave this hotel temorrow, or the day after. Harvey has written me that he has no one in view for buying my land at present. Well, I shall have drained the cup or bitterness to the very dregs. but I do not complain. I prefer to be a dead gentleman to a living black-guard like your father. Good-by. I forgive you your conduct toward me, and trust you will be able to forgive yourself. Ever affectionately."

Then came a name, evidently a pet name, which no one in the room was ble to make out. The letter furnishes fects were found \$36 in cash, drafts for fects were found so in cash, drafts for \$100 on Wells, Fargo & Co., San Fran-cisco, and dozens of medals and insig-nia of rank. There was also a book, of which the Baron was author, on "The Ethics of Suicide."

on his famous scheme for establishing a military colony on the Island of Trinidad, of which he was to be the Mountain Oil Company was made in the District Court this morning through a complaint filed by the Central National Bank of Cleveland. The company is incorporated for \$1,000,000, and has, according to the complaint, bonds outstanding to the amount of \$600,000. The bank's claim is \$13,000. The property of the company consists of oil lands in this State, pipe lines and franchises. These, the complaint says, are furnished in the following letter: are furnished in the following letter: "SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 26, 1895,

"Baron Harden Hickey, Los Angeles, al.—Monseigneur: Your favor of August 16 has been received.

"First—I am the duly-authorized agent of the Royalist party insofar as it is possible for any one to occupy that position under existing circumstances. With the Queen in prison and absolutely cut off from all communi-cations with her friends, it is out of the juestion for me to carry anything like

ormal credentials.
"Second—Alienating any part of the erritory cannot give rise to any con-stitutional questions, for the reason that the constitutions, like the land tenures, are in a state of such utter confusion that only a strong hand can unravel them. And the restoration will result in the establishment of a strong military government. If I go down with the expedition I have organized, I shall be in full control of the situation

Third--It is the Island of Kauai on which I propose to establish you as an independent severeign.
"Fourth—My plan is to successively occupy all the islands, leaving the capi-

tal to the last. When the others have fallen, the capital, being cut off from all its resources, will be easily taken, and may very likely fall without effort. chall have an overwhelming force to join me at once, in addition to those who go with me, who by themselves

"Fifth-The government forces cono'st of about one hundred and sixty men and boys with very imperfect military training, and of whom about They are organized of an energency, and about one huns; dred and fifty pelice. We can fully rely upon the assistance of all the police, and from one-feurth to one-half of the other troops. And of the Live stock quotations...Boston stock and bonds...New York shares and money...Chicago and San Franof men and arms to accomplish our purpose, and if my expedition does not get off very soon, the people there

direction of a few leaders, of which by stand more in need than anything

else.
"Sixth—The tonnage of the vessel is 146; she at present has berth room for twenty men, but bunks can be arranged in the hold for 256 more with provision for ample ventilation. She has one complete set of sails and two cytra pages. The remaining informahas one complete set of sails and two
extra spars. The remaining information in regard to her, I will have to
obtain and send you tomorrow. I
think it must be clear to you that the
opportunity now offered you will be of incomparably greater value at once than Trinidad would ever be. Still hoping that I may have an interview with you at an early date.

"Respectfully yours,
[Signed] "RALSTON J. MARKOE."
The El Paso authorities have telegraphed the Baron's wife at Corona,
Cal., asking what disposition be made
of the remains, but up to a late hour
no response had been received.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

EL PASO (Tex..) Feb. 10.—Baron Harden-Hickey was the first of the royal dynasty of Trinidad. He was born in San Francisco December 8, 1854, of a Catholic and old royalist family. His ancestors, the Hickeys, originally came from Ireland, having accompanied the banished royal Stuarts of England in their flight to France. The young Baron was educated at the College of Jesuits at Namur, and afterward at Leipsic. Here he established a reputation as a first-class and fearless duelist.

When 19 years of age he entered the French Military College at St. Cyr, but he abandoned a martial life on the death of his father in 1873, and devoted his life to sculpture and literary pursuits. His talents first found recognition in the shape of translations for English magazines, but he also wrote a number of works in his native language.

In 1878 the irrepressible writer started a weekly satirical paper in Paris called La Tribotteta, which landed him in constant tribulation. It was devoted to the interests of the Royalists, and its editor, the Baron made 114 appearances in the police courts, paid fines amounting to f.300.000, and fought no less than a dozen duels. Among his antiagonists were Aurelian Scholt, A. Lavertujon, Tuine and De Cyon. He was eventually compelled to leave France, going to England. SKETCH OF HIS LIFE. [ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

England.

The Baron was thoroughly conversant with the Sanscrit language, and, after studying its literature, determined to propagate the religion of Buddha throughout the United States. In the mean time he met and married Miss Anna Flagler, the daughter of the Standard Oil magnate, and gave up his intentions in that direction. He then set about starting a new kingdom on the Island of Trinidad, but the revolution in Brazil interfered with his plans.

Papers found among the dead Baron's effects indicate that he and his wife could not agree. He left some very rich jewels in his trunks here, one of them a crown. The Paron arrived in El Paso on the 3d inst., and remained quietly, at the Pierson Hotel, not making known his identity. The Baronness has been wired for instructions as to the disposition of the remains. Baron was thoroughly con-

position of the remains.

His Local History.

Baron Harden-Hickey, who com-mitted suicide at El Paso yesterday, is mitted suicide at El Paso yesterday, 18 well known in Los Angeles. He came here about three years ago, and purchased a house on Magnolia avenue, Pico Heights, where he lived in comparative retirement until the Trinidad Island affair became an international episode. That brought the Baron to the front, and it was only then that more than a select few Angelenos became aware that such a notable more than a select few Angeleños became aware that such a notable lived among them. The Baron and Barcaess confined their acquaintanceship principally to the English colony here, and at Santa Monica, however, and few were on sufficiently intimate terms to call at the Pico Heights mansion, which bore a coronet on the front gate.

About two years ago the Baron traded his Pico Heights residence for a ranch of several hundred acres at

traded his Pico Heights residence for a ranch of several hundred acres at South Riverside, now called Corona, where the Baron and Baroness resided when not traveling or living at Santa Monica. Recently the Baron went to Mexico, and the Baroness rented the handsome residence of Mrs. Wilkes on Brockton avenue, Riverside, for two months, where she now resides. The Baron during his stay in Mexico is reported to have purchased a large body of land on the isthmus of Tehuantepec. What the object of the purchase was is not known. His confidential agent here is said to be J. C. Harvey, late manager of the Standard Oil Company in Los Angeles, but now agent of the Trinidad Asphalt Company. Mr. Harvey but recently returned from a prolonged hydroger transport of the Standard from a prolonged hydroger transport. Oil Company in Los Angeles, but now agent of the Trinidad Asphalt Company. Mr. Harvey but recently returned from a prolonged business trip through Mexico, and is known to have received a letter from Baron Harden-Hickey, dated at El Paso, a few days ago. Mr. Harvey's city address could not be ascertained last night, hence efforts to obtain an interview with him proved futile. He probably knows more about the Baron's affairs, and the causes which may have led to his suicize than any one else in Los Angeled The few intimate acquaintances of the Baron, who could be found last night did not know anything about any differences existing between him and his wife or the nature of his grievance against his father-in-law. It is presumed, however, that Mr. Flagler would not advance him any more money in furtherance of his chimerical schemes, and that the Baron found himself in sore financial straits. In this connection it may be stated that a New York paper recently reported that Mr. Flagler invested \$750.000 in lands in the Bahama Islands. Efforts to reach the Baroness Harden-Hickey at Riverside by wire last night failed.

#### CHARGED WITH FRAUD.

der Investigation.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SAN. JCSE, Feb. 10.—Charges of fraud made against Abram King, a prominent capitalist of this city, are now being investigated in the Superior Court in the settlement of King's final account as guardian of Stephen Hobson, an incompetent, now deceased. King was guardian for twenty years and it is alleged that during that time he misappropriated funds of the estate aggregating \$20,000 by changing vouchers, charging items for his private account, failing to give account of money received and in various other ways. The charges were brought by Mrs. Kruse, Hobson's daughters, who is administratrix of the estate. The testimony in the case taken by a recree and occupied several months. ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

A Stormy Meeting.

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 10.—There was very stormy meeting tonight of stockholders of the Union Building a Loan Association. There were telements present, one in favor of appointment of a receiver and the of favoring the withdrawal of all stand going into liquidation in a pea full manner. The majority, however the property of the property of the former planty of the property of the former planty of the property of the former planty of the property of the property

Japan Will Stand Firm PARIS, Feb. 10.—Official advices re-ceived by the Foreign Office from Pe-king say that Japan has notified China that she intends to be a West of the

that she intends to keep Wei Hai Wei

## ELEVEN ARE DEAD.

AWFUL RECORD OF THE BIG FIRE AT PITTSBURGH.

Eighteen Injured are Lying in the Hospitals.

ENTIRE FAMILY WIPED OUT

THE PROPERTY LOSS A MILLION AND A HALF.

Firemen Working in the Smoulder. ing Debris at the Risk of Their Lives Trying to Recover Burned Bodies.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] PITTSBURGH (Pa.,) Feb. 10.-Elever people dead, twenty-seven missing and eighteen injured and a property loss of \$1,500,000 is the awful record of the big

fire of last night.

Following is a revised list of the dead, injured and missing:

Dead: POLICE LIEUT. A. J. BERRY. JOHN M'HANNA. WILLIAM SCOTT, JR. STANLEY STIZ. 124 JOHN DWYER. GEORGE LOVELESS. WILLIAM SMITH.
ALBERT A. WOLFEE.
THOMAS CLAFFEY.
WILLIAM R. WALLERHABEN-

An unknown man, supposed to be John Scott, the youngest son of the president of the Chautauqua Ice Com-

pany:
Injured:
ROBERT ROSAMOND, lieutenant of rushed, amputated below the knee, also badly bruised about the body.

OWEN H. FELDER, compound fracre of the right leg.
GEORGE DOUGLAS, from Bellevue

nconscious, internally injured.
OWEN MULLIGAN, lacerated scalp.
WILLIAM FLEMING, body and JOSEPH HEADLEY, bruised about

body and head.

KIT WILSON of Pudacah, Ky.; received injury about the head, not fatal.

ROBERT DOBSON, badly injured

ROBERT DOBSON, badly injured about the head and body. CAPT. A. J. BROWN, superintendent of the Burean of Building Inspection; right leg cut and bruised. PETER MALONE, slightly injured DAVID STEWART, badly cut by

falling bricks.
WILLIAM DESMUKE, injured about head and shoulders. CHARLES WILSON, struck by fall-

CHARLES WILSON, struck by falling brick and seriously hurt.
PEER MALONE, leg broken.
POLICE OFFICER HOGENS, cut and bruised and injured internally.
MRS, MARY DESMUKE, cut about head and arms and internally injured.
CHARLES SIMON, traveling salesman of Cincinnati; badly cut on head.
GEORGE KING, engine company No. 7, scalp wound and bruised.
JOHN HUNTER, engine No. 7, bruised and both ankles hurt.
The missing:
GEORGE NEWMAN, fire inspector of Philadelphia Gas Company.
WILLIAM DORN.
WILLIAM FINCH.
EDWARD DONNELLY.
CHRISTIE SCHRIVER.
JAMES P. MORRISON.

PROF. JAMES MOXAN, organist at Evangel Church, Bushton, Pa.
D. B. WEICKELY.
JOHN GERRY.
GEORGE M'DONALD.

Evangel Church, Bushton, Pa.

D. B. WEICKELY.

JOHN GERRY.

GEORGE M'DONALD.

JACK FERRELL.

SAMUEL M'LAUGHLIN.

Jacob Booth and a party of four companions, who were in a saloon on Penn avenue when the building crashed, are missing, and supposed to be under the debris.

Mrs. Mary M'Fadden and her family of eight children are also supposed to be under the fallen walls. They lived in a house on Mulberry alley, which was crushed. Nothing has been seen of them since the explosion last night, and it is believed that all are dead.

All day long firemen, policemen and other city employés have been working at the risk of their lives, but up nightfall but little progress has been made in clearing away the debris. The work will be continued without essation until it is known that no bodies remain buried. Pleakened were remained to the continued without essation until it is known that no bodies. made in clearing away the debris. The work will be continued without cessation until it is known that no bodies remain buried. Blackened walls, towering amidst heaps of smouldering rubbish, threatened to topple over at any minute. Twenty streams are constantly playing on the still burning ruins. A heavy pall of smoke overhangs the desolate scene, and the tired policemen have hard work to keep the curious onlookers from getting within the rope cordon. Many of the people who fled panic-stricken from their homes last night are plucking up courage enough to return to places not jeopardized by the fire-weakened walls. Mayor Ford this afternoon, realizing that some of the worst features of the calamity are yet to come, so far as the death of heads of families are concerned, and that many will be in need, issued a public letter suggesting subscriptions from the citizens for distribution among the needy victims. There is no reason to change last night's estimate of the aggregate loss of property. It is difficult to get figures, but insurance experts say that it will be at least \$1.500,000, and may be more. The total insurance is variously estimated at from \$500,000 to \$1,250,000.

ESTIMATES OF LOSSES.

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PHTTSBURGH (Pa.) Feb. 10.—The

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PITTSBURGH (Pa.,) Feb. 10.—The
estimates of the losses at last night's
fire are: The Union Storage Company, \$75,000; Keeveller's Storage
(Warehouse and contents, \$500,000;
re Chautauqua Lake Ice Company, \$150,1000; small Pennsylvania avenue
houses, \$25,000; total, \$1,500,000.
The individual losers in the Union
Storage Company Warehouse are:
Economy Distilling Company, 2000
barrels of whisky in bond; J.
W. Friday Company, 25 carloads of tobacco; Pittsburgh Dry Goods
Chaelers, 125,000 pounds of two;
Pany, \$25,000; Patrick McGraw & Co.,
Alleghony wool dealers, \$25,000;
American Cereal Company, \$50,000; Ditworth Bros., large quantities of canned
goods; Allen, Kirkpatrick & Co.,
anned goods; W. H. Williams, commission merchant, twenty carloads of
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anned goods; W. H. Williams, commission merchant, twenty carloads of
the sugar. These losses are all covered
by insurance, placed mostly with G.
W. McCandless & Co., of this city,
It was just 7:55 o'clock last evening
when smoke was seen issuing from
the fourth floor of the Union Storage
Company's building on Pike street,
near Thirteenth. The building was six
stories in height, and occupied almost
the entire block. Almost the entire
block between Twelfth and Thirteenth
streets, and Pike street and Mulberry
alley was burned. The first floor was
occupied as offices of the Union
StorageCompany, and the Chautauqua
lake Ice Company. The second floor
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Chautauqua Company, and in the Twelfth-street end whey had their ice-making plant, which cupied the first three floors. This was filled with valuable ice-making machinery, and other property of the Chautauqua Company. The balance of the building was occupied by the storage company. Immediately upon the discovery of the fire an alarm was sent in, and was responded to promptly, but owing to the construction of the building, it was practically impossible to fight the fire from without, while the volumes of smoke inside made it impossible to fight if from within. The only walls dividing the great building were closed by heavy iron doors, and those were locked. For three hours the firemen worked. scarcely knowing what they were doing. The iron shutters were impregnable to their attacks. The smoke that found its way out of the building filled Mulberry alley and Pike street, stifling the firemen and rendering them practically sightless. It would clear for a moment or two, and they would again endeavor to make some headway, but to no avail. Finally, at 11 o'clock, the flames burst out through the roof, and shot upward a hundred feet in the air, making that part of the city as light form.

This was the first note of alarm that is was the first note of alarm that the the flight of residents from home on Pike, Thirteenth and lifth streets. Women and children ted for the streets, barefooted and heir night clothes, bearing what a of their household effects that could carry in their arms. The e were watchful, and the crowds kept back by fire lines, and the ul heat of the flames.

Suddenly, above the roar of the flames and the puffing of the fire engines, which were everywhere, came the more powerful noise of the first explosion. The din of falling walls foretold destruction and death in thunderous tones. Those within the fire lines were seen to fall in all directions. Those outside the lines were not without the reach of danger. The without the reach of danger. The great puff of air created by the explogreat puff of air created by the explo-sion seemed to make everything sway and shake. The falling walls crushed in the rear of buildings having fronts on Pennsylvania avenue. The side of the Hoeveler building, on Pike street, was crushed in and entry made for the flames. At the Thirteenth street end of the warehouse the most terrible ef-fect of the explosion was market fect of the explosion was manifest. The entire front was piled into the

Explosion followed explosion for Explosion followed explosion for about an hour, between 12 and 1 o'clock. After each report, like the shot of cannon, the fire belched forth from the walls in all directions. Burned-out walls came toppling down, and firemen, policemen and spectators were rendered almost powerless to act by the sense of awe and terror that the scene inspired. The explosions were caused by the bursting of large tanks filled with ammonia, used in the manufacture of ice.

#### THE TEXTILE INDUSTRY.

STATIONS FOR DEVELOPING RAMIE, SILK AND FLAX.

Be Established in Southers California-Extension of Home-stead Laws-Railway Right-ofway in Alaska.

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—The House Committee on Public Lands has reported favorably Representative Tracey's bill providing for the compulsory attendances of witnesses before regis-ters and receivers of the Land Office. At the present time there is no pro-vision of law by which the attendance of witnesses before registers and re-ceivers can be obtained. Frequently property rights of great value are in-volved in controversies before these officers. They are not judicial officers, although their functions are of the

Five thousand dollars is appropriated for each of six stations, established in different sections of the country, with a view of developing ramie, silk and flax preparation, manufacture, production and profitable home market throughout the United States. The stations are to be: One in the Northern Middle States, for silk and flax; one in the North Pacific Coast States, for ramie, flax and silk; one in or near Washington, D. C., for ramie and silk; one in the South Pacific Coast States, for ramie, silk and one in the South Pacific Coast States, for ramie, and silk, and one in the South Pacific Coast States, for ramie, silk and flax, where the special agent can procure the most assistance and cooperation from the people and capitalists in locating

most assistance and cooperation from the people and capitalists in locating and starting them.

Representative Slayden of Texas has introduced in the House a bill forbid-ding the transportation of goods in bond to the free zone of Mexico. Senator Carter of Montana has pre-pared en amendment to the act extend-

bond to the free zone of Mexico. Senator Carter of Montana has prepared en amendment to the act\_extending the homestead laws and providing rights-of-way for railways in Alaska by which the mining laws of the United States are extended to that country. It is further provided that those who have located mining claims in Alaska in conformity with the laws of the United States applicable to the public domain or who have occupied and improved or exercised acts of ownership over such claims shall not be disturbed therein, but shall be allowed to perfect their titles to such claims by complying with the mining laws of the United States and the local rules and regulations not in conflict therewith. Nativeborn citizens of the Dominion of Canada shall be accorded the same mining rights and privileges accorded to citizens of the United States in British Columbia and the Northwest Territories by the laws of the Dominion of Canada or the local laws, rules and regulations.

Delegate Smith of Arlzona has introduced a bill to enable the city of Prescott to issue bonds to construct a sewer and water system.

The bill provides that if the people

## JUMPING ON REED.

SPEAKER IS ATTACKED IN BOTH HOUSES.

Mr. Allen of Nebraska Enlivens the Proceedings in the Senate With His Criticisms.

MR. BAILEY IN THE HOUSE.

MUCH FILIBUSTERING DONE, IN

Two Bills of Minor Importance Occupy the Time-Mr. Handy Attempts to Reply to Thomas
F. Bayard.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] WASHINGTON, Feb. 10 .- During the ntire session of the Senate today the ndian Appropriation Bill was under consideration. The reading of the bill was completed, and all of the commit tee amendments were adopted. Subsequently several amendments of a minor character were attached to the

Mr. Allen of Nebraska enlivened th journment by making an attack upon Speaker Reed for preventing the enactment, as the Nebraska Senator declared, of meritorious legislation sent to the House of Representatives by the Senate. He denounced the Speaker's action in this regard as a "disgrace" to Congress and to the American people. Congress and to the American people. When a point of order was made against him for the use of improper language concerning the other branch of Congress, Mr. Allen said that he was stating only the truth, and that he was responsible here or elsewhere at any time for his statements.

It was expected to conclude the con sideration of the pending bill today but when an appeal was taken from the ruling of the Vive-President, that an amendment offered by Mr. Thurstor of ebraska was not in order, the point of order was made by Mr. Allen that

of ebraska was not in order, the point of order was made by Mr. Allen that a quorum was not present. A roll call disclosing the absence of a quorum, the Senate adjourned.

The House occupied the whole session in fillbustering against two bills of minor importance, one to issue a duplicate check and the other to make Rockland, Me., a sub-port of entry. either got further than the egmrossment and third reading. The trouble arose over the enforcement of the rule against the discussion of irrelevant subjects when Mr. Handy, a Democrat of Delaware attempted to reply on the floor during the consideration of those bills, to a letter recently written by Thomas F. Bayard, in denunciation of the freesilver Democracy. Roll call followed roll call all day ong, and partisanship reached a high pitch. Finaly, when it became evident that no progress could be made with the bills presented, an adjournment was taken till Monday.

OPPOSITION TO BOWERS.

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The President Will Consider the Appointment of Another. [BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.] WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.-[Exclusive

Dispatch.] The opposition to Bowers is increasing. President McKinley has received a dispatch from the San Diego Republican Committee declaring Bowers is tainted with silver heresy and is not a real Republican. It insists that Silsbee or some other loyal Republican be approved. The President was surprised, but will consider the question carefully The situation is too delicate to palter with repudiation. Representative Castle today introduced a bill appropriating \$75,000 for a

FIFTY-FIFTH CONGRESS. REGULAR SESSION.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—SENATE. Gen. William Booth of London. founder of the Salvation Army, acted as chaplain at the opening of the Sen-

ate today.

Mr. Frye of Maine reported favorably from the Committee on Commerce a bill to amend the laws relating to navigation. The proposed bill relates only to Alaskan waters, he said and demanded prompt attensaid, and demanded prompt atten tion. The bill was passed withou division. The District Appropriatio Bill was then taken up.

AMENDMENTS PROPOSED (ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.) WASHINGTON, Feb. 10 .- Consider

able discussion arose over an amendment proposed by the committee providing "that hereafter no Indian or tribe of Indians shall lease for

providing "that hereafter no Indian or tribe of Indians shall lease for mining purposes lands that are not patented to said Indians."

Mr. Rawlins supported the amendment, and referred to efforts that are constantly being made by private individuals and corporations to secure Indian lands, particularly mineral lands, by leasing from Indians, with the approval of the Secretary of the Interior. He said that when he came here in 1893, an application was pending before the Secretary of the Interior for approval of a lease of 386,000 acres of land in the Uncompangre reservation, containing valuable deposits of gilsonite. The lease had been obtained by an Indian agent, and at conce turned over to the American Asphalt Company. The agents and attorneys of this corporation, Mr. Rawlins said, had come to Washington, and, representing that they controlled Senators and Representatives and had great influence in high political circles, were trying to force the approval of their lease. Ultimately, he said, a lease covering about five hundred was approved.

die," but desired an opportunity to discuss it.

Mr. Allison said he was convinced that there was not the shadow of right in the proposed amendment. He insisted on his point of order, but Mr. Allen withdrew the amendment.

In the course of the discussion of an amendment offered by Mr. Thurston, against which a point of order was made by Mr. Allison, Mr. Allen made a sharp attack upon the Speaker of the House of Representatives. He declared that it was impossible to secure the passage through the House of many meritorious measures, because one man stood at the entrance of the caverns into which proposed legislation was dumped and would permit nothing to be done of which he did not approve. He said: "In the other end of the Capitol, this one man stands for 628, and his bold, unwarranted, undignified action was a disgrace to the Congress and the American people.

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Mr. Frye of Maine said the Senator
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while speaking to a point of order.
Mr. Allen said he had no desire to
violate the rules, and did not think
he had violated them, as he had not
referred to any man by name, nor any
particular end of the Capitol. This
was received with sarcastic laughter
by other Senators, and even Mr. Allen
smiled. Further along in his remarks, Mr. Allen reverted to the power
exercised by the Speaker of the House,
declaring that, in view of the impossibility of securing consideration of meritorious action, the truth ought to be
known to all the people in the country.
If the truth hurt or it broke any rules
he was not responsible.

"I want it understood" said Mr.

If the truth hurt or it was not responsible.
"I want it understood," said Mr. Alien, "that I hold myself responsible at any time and in any place for such statements as I may make or have statements."

at any time and in any place for such statements as I may make or have made on this subject."

Mr. Allison's point of order was sustained by the Vice-President. Mr. Allen took an appeal to the Senate from the Vice-President's ruling. Mr. Hoar moved to lay the appeal on the table. Mr. Allen made the point of no quorum, and a roll call disclosed the presence of but thirty-nine Senatos—not a quorum. tos—not a quorum.

The Senate, on motion of Mr. Alli son, at 5:15 p.m., adjourned.

HOUSE PROCEEDINGS.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—HOUSE.—

Mr. Waller (Rep.) of Virginia, in the
House presented the report of the Comittee on Elections, No. 3, on the conitested election case of C. H. Thorpe
vs. Eppes from the Fourth District of
Virginia. The majority report was
signed by all the Republican members
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signed by all the Republican members of the committee, and was in favor of seating the contestant, Mr. Thorpe. The House then got into a squabble over a private pension claim bill, and personal as well as party feeling becoming aroused, several hours were consumed in securing a quorum, Democrats absenting themselves.

Mr. Bailey, the Democratic leader, got time from Mr. Perkins (Rep. of Iowa, during the consideration of a bill to issue a duplicate check issued by Charles E. McChesney, an Indian agent, in favor of C. J. Holman & Bro., for \$2819, and yielded thirty minutes of it to Mr. Handy (Dem.) Some question was raised as to the right of Mr. Bailey to yield time, and considerable friction developed.

Mr. Tawney (Rep.) of Minnesota in-

Mr. Tawney (Rep.) of Minnesota in-timated in an undertone that Mr. Bal-ley had secured time under false pre-

"Of course, the gentleman does not mean that," said Mr. Bailey, "but if he does, I denounce it as infamously false." The situation immediately became

false."

The situation immediately became strained, and when Mr. Handy launched his remarks, which proved to be a criticism of Hon. Thomas F. Bayard's recent utterances on the money question, objection was made that his remarks were irrelevant. Party feeling became strained by the incident, and the Democrats retailated by contesting the passage of the bill. The previous question was ordered, but another roll call was forced on an insignificant incident. On this vote, the Democrats under the lead of Mr. Balley declined to vote, but the Speaker noted enough members present to make up a quorum and the amendment was adopted. On the next vote on the engrossment and third reading of the bill, the Speaker could only count 140 present, and a call of the House was ordered. A quorum appeared, and the bill was ordered to be engrossed Mr. Bailey then formally demanded the reading of the engrossed bill. As this could, of course, not be done, the bill was laid aside.

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The Speaker then began a call for the committees for the presentation of bills. This was the first time this order of business has been entered upon at this session. On the first bill presented Mr. Bailey again got the floor and again yielded to Mr. Handy. He had only uttered a few sentences, stating that he intended to veply to Mr. Bayard, when Mr. Dalzell called him to order. Mr. Bailey protested vehemently that there was no way of deto order. Mr. Bailey protested vehemently that there was no way of determining whether Mr. Handy was in order or not. Mr. Dalzell replied that the statement was a mere evasion. Mr. Williams (Dem.) of Mississippi and several others were denumbered by and several others were drawn into th

and several others were drawn into the controversy.

Suddenly the Speaker straightened up in his chair, and, adderssing Mr. aBiley, said: "That the gentleman from Delaware is out of order can certainly be disputed by gentlemen who are looking each other in the face." Continuing, the Speaker said that while it has been the custom to allow the widest latitude in the debate in the committee of the whole, that had not been the practice in the House. There the debate was confined to the

allow the widest latitude in the debate in the committee of the whole, that had not been the practice in the House. There the debate was confined to the subject under consideration, and he thought members on both sides must admit that it would not be suitable to flasten upon them a system by which all manner of questions could be discussed at any time. It was wise, he said, to conform to the principles that governed every parliamentary body.

Mr. Balley, in reply, maintained that custom was as binding us the rule, and he contended that it had always been the practice to give gentlemen latitude. He had never known, he said, a case where a gentleman was called to order unless he was attacking some one or indulging in personalities. He called attention that last week for two hours during the consideration of a pension bill in the House a debate on Pacific railroads had gone on, "yet today," he said, "the rule was invoked on this side. Fhen a gentleman on this side desires to reply t outtacks on him and all those associated with him he is silenced. I appeal to the gentlemen on the other side to reflect how far the practice they conted for can go on."

The Speaker said he had no desire to enforce the rules rigorously except when they were invoked. If the vale had not been enforced on other occasions, it was the misfortune of those other occasions. There was no longer any pretense that Mr. Handy intended to discuss the pending bill.

It becoming evident that he Democrats intended to continue the filibuster, and as the House had no regular business to proceed with, Mr. Dingley at this juncture moved an adjournment until Monday.

Mr. Richardson (Dem.) of Tennessee, who, with his fellow-Democrats, desired to have a session tomorrow for the consideration of private bills, contested this motion with a plain motion to adjourn.

The Speaker ruled that Mr. Dinglew's of their lease. Ultimately, he said, a lease covering about five hundred was approved.

Now, he declared, those same persons were endeavoring to defeat the committee amendment to prevent the Indians from leasing their lands. He believed in opening the mineral lands by the government, the leasing of them to individuals or companies and the application of the proceeds for the benefit of the Indians.

At the conclusion of the reading of the bill, it was thrown open to amendment.

Mr. Kyle of South Dakota proposed in amendment that all or any part of the sum of \$168,335 now in the treasury to the credit of the Sioux Indians or the Crow Creek Indian reservation in South Dakota, may be used for the purpose of purchasing such cattle and agricultural implements as will promote their welfare. The amendment was agreed to.

Mr. Allen presented an amendment restoring the annuities of the Santee Sloux Indians.

Mr. Allison made a point of order against the amendment. He said it would involve the payment of at least "whistled down the wind" by a point of order. He said he did not want to be "picked up and snuffed out like a can-"

was no objection, and the order being ordered, at 4:25 p.m., the House adjourned until Monday.

GERMANY'S WORM DECREE. tate Department Gives the Senate

the Diplomatic Correspondence. [ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]
WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—The State Department today sent to the Senate the correspondence with Germany regarding the exclusion of American fruit. It shows that Ambassador White and the State Department both took vigorous and prompt steps on learning of Germany's action, and that Germany disayowed any intention to aver the comdisavowed any intention to avert competition, saying it merely intended to prevent the introduction of infected ap-

ples into Germany.
Secretary Sherman sums it up by saying: "From the foregoing report it will be seen that action by this government be seen that action by this government and by its diplomatic representative at Berlin for the protection of all legitimate commercial and exporting interests injuriously affected by the German prohibition was prompt and effective and that, as the matter now stands, the admission of American fresh fruit into Germany has been secured in all cases, save where the actual existence of the San José insect upon the fruit or in the packings thereof is ascertained."

PENSIONS MUST CONTINUE. Defeat of a Measure That Would

Have Cut Them Down.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

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WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—The contest that has been waged in the House Committee on Invalid Pensions ever since the assembling of Congress, on the question of barring from the pension rolls the widows and children of pensioners who marry hereafter, ezmeto an end today in the defeat of the proposition. A measure with this end it view was introduced by Representative Samuel Smith of New York, and it had the indorsement of Commissioner of Pensions Evans. The question has been agitating the committee at all of its meetings, and today, after a very spirited discussion. Representative Norton (Dem.) of Obio brought it to a sudden close by demanding a vote on the question of favorably reporting it to the House, by a vote of to 7, on party lines.

The division was as follows:
Yeas—Ray of New York, Warner of Illinois, Henry of Connecticut, Smith of Michigan, Republicans, and Briggs (Dem.) of New York.

Nays—Sulloway of New Hampshire, Kerr of Ohio, Gibson of Tennessee, Sturtevant of Pennsylvania, Republicans; Norton (Dem.) of Obio, and Botkin of Kansas and Caste of Callfornia, Populists.

This probably ends the effort to secure the enactment of a general measure along these lines at this session.

Chairman Ray, who was instructed at the last meeting to appoint a sub-committee to draeft a service pension bill, notified the committee to day that he would appoint the sub-committee in a few days. WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—The con-est that has been waged in the House

Day Dispatches Condensed.

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Schor Juan L. Cuestas, the President of Urugusy ad interim, has executed his threatened codp d'etat, and has issued a decree dissolving the Assembly.

An exceptionally heavy rain and windstorm prevailed through Western and Southern Kansas and Southern Missouri and Indian Participy Wednesday night. Telegraph wires were prostrated in many instances.

Mrs. Kate O'Neil, wife of ex-Congressman O'Neil of St. Louis, is dead, and her husband is dangerously ill at the Mulianphy Hospital. Several weeks ago Mr. O'Neil was taken sick, and his wife's illness resulted from overwork and worry on account of his condition. Owing to his weakness. Mr. O'Neil has not been notified of his wife's death.

Night Dispatches Condensed.

During a funeral service in the synagogue at Idilenciol in Grodne, Polish Russia, wednesday the women's gallery collapsed, and the panic that moved, twee women five men and three child the crushed to death.

A dispatch from Chicago says Judge Payne handed down a decision systerday in the case of John D. Blank against the Illinois Central Railroad Company for \$50,000 damages, in which he held that an employe of a corporation may legally sign an agreement waiving all claims for damages, even if the results are from the gross negligence of the employer.

A Frankfort (Ky.) dispatch says the State Senate, by a vote of twenty, sufficient to pass a bill over a veto, has passed the Go bel Elections Bill and sent it to the House, where it is nearly sure to go through with a majority sufficient to override a veto from the Governor. The bill, introduced by the prospective candidate for Governor, provides that all future elections shall be under the control of a State commission of three, to be elected by the present Legislature and to hold their offices for four years. They are to appoint three commissioners in each county, who shall in turn appoint all the elective and registration officers for their respective counties.

A Malta cablegram says the British battle-ship Victorious will start for Chine and the sent the country the shaft in the selective can be the sent of the properties of the p

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[COAFT RECORD.]

# TUNNEL OPEN AGAIN

SANTA FE TRAINS RUNNING BY THE OLD ROUTE.

Fask of Reconstructing the Passage Through the Mountain Has Been Tremendous,

MUCH FREIGHT TO MOVE

OVER TWO THOUSAND CARS ARE BOUND WESTWARD.

Gov. Budd Takes No Cognizance of Worden's Plen-Railroad Building in Northern California. Figel Murder Trial.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.] WILLIAMS (Ariz.,) Feb. 10 .- [Exclu sive Dispatch.] The tunnel at John-son's Cañon on the Santa Fé Pacific road, which has been the scene of so nuch disaster and loss of life during the past month, is once more reopened for traffic. The first train will pass through, going west, shortly after 12 o'clock tonight. The timbering of the tunnel has been done in a very thor-bugh manner, and it is considered to be in better condition than ever before.

The task has been a tremendous one, and the workmen have been beset by every danger, besides the discouraging fire the second time, after the tunne was partly reconstructed. That portion of the road between Albuquerque and the West will be taxed to its utmost capacity to handle the freight which has cumulated along the line between accumulated along the line. There has point and Albuquerque. There are over two thousand cars of freight bound for the West, and at Ashfork, the target there. the junction west of the tunnel, there nearly three hundred cars waiting to be sent East.

Nearly every yard at the differen stations along the Santa Fé is packed with cars, and for a few weeks the road will present a scene of animation never equalled before. Besides all this, there has been an immense amount of freight, perishable matter, which had to transferred over the Southern Pa-

This disaster will be remembered by the Santa Fé as the most costly in the history of the road. That section of the road in which the tunnel is located is known as the "hill." There are two stretches of three-per-cent, grade, and on the lower one of these, about a year ago, an oil train exploded, while on the upper one, only three months occurred the wreck in which several of the train crew lost their lives Besides these there have been many minor mishaps, and for this reason railroad men are superstitious about the

#### LATE AUSTRALIAN ADIVCES. Big Batch of News Brought Up by the Mariposa. [ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 10.—The steamer Mariposa, which arrived from Sydney, via Honolulu, today, brought the following Australasian advices: The conference of premiers, which was to have been held in Melbourne January 13, has been postponed until the end of the present month. The American steemer Cleveland has

been wrecked in Barclay Sound and twenty-two of those on board were

twenty-two of those on board week drowned.

A fire at Hokititi, N. Z., destroyed a business block, the damage being estimated at £15,000.

Platts Betts recently made the half-mile world's cycling record of 0:40 at the Sydney cricket grounds.

The official estimate of the wheat crop of New South Wales predicts that the harvest will be close upon 10,000,000, while that of Victoria is estimated at 7,500,000 bushels.

During the last half year of 1897 Queensland exported 54,100 tons of sugar.

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During 1897, 292,217 ounces of gold were produced in New South Wales, its value being £1,088,413.

The champion colt Aurum has been sold by W. R. Wilson to W. Allison, special commissioner of the London Sportsman, for 5000 guineas and contingencies. Aurum will be shipped to England in April.

On the night of January 1 the brig Minora, from Newcastle to Sydney, foundered at five minutes notice, ten miles off Broken Bay. All hands, six in number, except Capt. Gallant, who, strange to say, was the only man on board who could not swim, perished. Capt. Gallant was rescued by the crew of a passing schooner, after having been in the water, floating on a piece of wreckage, for nearly twenty-four hours.

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The delegates to the Federal Convention, which resumed its session in January, were lavishly entertained by the Melbourne people. On the opening day the Mayor of Melbourne entertained the delegates at a dinner, and later on the Mayoress gave a garden party. In addition to visits to Ballarat and Bendigo, a theater party, a ball at the government house, and a dinner by the Australian Native Association were included in the programme.

#### NEWS FROM THE ORIENT.

Death of Gen. Jones, United State Consul at Chin Kinng.

PASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT. VANCOUVER (B. C.,) Feb. 10.—Advices just received from the Orient announce the death at Shanghai of Gen. Jones, United States Consul at Chin Jones, United States Consul at Chin Kiang. Gen. Jones was 75 years of age. He was born in Virginia and served in the Confederate army, being at one time on the staff of Gen. Johnston.

The obsequies of the late Prince Shimmadsu were conducted at Koga-shima. More than ten thousand took part in the procession on foot

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Kwo Kotsukiki, a noted rebel leader, has been shot at Sanjo.

At Hong Kong a boy belonging to H.M.S. cruiser Edgar was tried by court-martial for striking the ecommander. He was sentenced to eighteen months hard labor, twentyfour strokes of the birch and dismissed from the service.

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Two Japanese sendos, who were arrested at Nagasaki for the murder of an apprentice named Epps, belonging to the United States steamer Olympia, have been convicted of voluntary homicide and sentenced to pay a fine. The foreign community regards the sentence with grave dissatisfaction and as inadequate.
The black plague has broken out on the eastern Ynnan. At Chan Chetto there were 600 deaths in two months. Coffins could not be supplied fast enough and the dead bodies were threwn to the dogs.

In a collision between the German steamer Donare and the Japanese sall-

steamer Donare and the Japanese sail-ing vessel Kokichimani, January 16, the Yukon country. Fritz Benzen of

the Japanese ship was sent to the bot-tom with her cargo, the crew being

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Chinese merchants of Hong Kong, Yokohama and Kobe have entered into a compact not to load their goods into the ships of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha in their transportation between Hong Kong and respective Japanese ports. The agreement will be put into practice commencing with the steamer Inaba Maru, which left Yokohama January 22 for London.

It is learned that the rebellion in the Philippines is at an end. The rebel leaders, Emilio Aquinaldo, Manano Lianiro and others were paid large sums by the Spaniards to leave the islands. They arrived at Hong Kong shortly before the mail left, in charge of Col. Primo de Rivera. The colonel states that Spain will keep a large force in the Philippines.

A captain of the Russian army has arrived at Peking as military adviser of the Chinese government.

An assault has been committed by Japanese artisans on Mr. Sands, Secretary of the United States Legation at Seoul. The attack was unprovoked and the police did not interfere. Mr. Sands, however, held one of his assailants and compelled the police to arrest him. Afterward a complaint was lodged by the United States Consul, and the Japanese authorities have arrested various persons supposed to have been engaged in the affair.

#### WANT A MONOPOLY.

Spreckels Trying to Get All of the Hawaiian Steamer Trade.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] HONOLULU, Feb. 3.—(Wired from San Francisco, Feb. 10.) It is understood that the Pacific Mail Company will make another proposition to the Spreckels, who control the Oceanic Line, running to the Colonies via Honolulu. Manager Schwerin of the Pa-cific Mail will agree not to interfere with the Honolulu trade, if the Occanic people shall withdraw their steamers from the Australian run, and leave the field open to the mail steamers. If the proposition shall be accepted, the China and a new and fast boat will ply between San Francisco and Sydney, while the Spreckel steamers, Mariposa and Alameda, will both be put on the Hawalian route.

The Molokai ranch, belonging to the Bishop estate, was sold at auction yesterday and brought \$251,000. The purchaser was A. D. McLennan, a Boston capitalist, who intends to start a sugar plantation. Eight thousand dollars was the original cost of the proppeople shall withdraw their steamers

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erty.

The Hawaiian Government Band, with its leader, Capt. Berges, may leave this year for Omaha, to spend a month at the Transmississippi Ex-

position.

Rev. D. P. Birnie, pastor of the Central Union Church, has resigned, and trail Union Church, has resigned, as his suc will return East as soon as his suc-cessor shall be appointed. Mr. Birnie came here three years ago from Bos-ton, resigning the pastorate of the All-ston Church ston Church.

#### CLIPPERTON ISLAND CASE. A Suft That Will Settle the Nation. ality of the Spot.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

I LILIOLISH AVG SSRIJ GALVIDOSSY SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 10.—The question of the national sovereignty to which Clipperton Island belongs will be presented to Judge Sewall in a case that came up for trial before him today. The man who discovered the island, unless the vague 4 counts of a seventeemth-century discovery by a Frence navigator shall be allowed, is the plaintiff in the case.

The suit is that of Permien against the Oceanic Phosphate Company. The plaintiff, Capt. Permien, claims that while cruising in the Caleb Cushing early in the eightles in the region of Clipperton Island he discovered it. When he yeturned to San Francisco he Federal statutes, and claimed the right t othe immense deposits of guano on the islands. He was induced to transfer his clasms to the island and the deposits to a corporation, which was formed for that purpose, the Oceanic Phosphate Company, one of the defendants in this suit. This was done, and now practically the whole of the stock is claimed by these persons. The State Department has been communicated with and the decision rendered in this case may settle the question of which national flag is entitled to float over this small but commercially valuable isle.

MARSHFIELD (Or..) Feb. 10.—Levi Gant, an aged and well-to-do resident of Myrtle Point, was tortured by two barked rollers and well-to-do resident of Myrtle Point, was tortured by two between the saked robbers, who, by repeatedly burning bis bare feet in a hot stove, succeeded in extorting from the old dant, an aged and well-to-do resident of Myrtle Point, was tortured by two succeeded in extorting from the old them that he had no money, but the robbers were not satisfied, and the stove, holding them until he stove, holding them until he sufficient, and they put him to the togetion again and again until they sufficient, and they put him to the togetion again and again until they sufficient, and they put him to the togetion again and again until they sufficient, and they put him to the togetion and the position and the positi over this small but commercially able isle.

#### SOME FAST SAILING.

Quick Voyage of Clipper Ships from

San Francisco to Honolulu. [ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] HONOLULU, Feb. 3. [Wired from San Francisco, Feb. 10.]—Not since the days of clipper ships have the perships Henry Hyde and S. P. Hitchcock, which ar

Hyde and S. P. Hitchcock, which arrived here on the 30th and 29th ult, respectively, been equaled. The Hyde arrived here at sundown on the 30th, after a sensational run of 9 days 4½ hours from San Francisco, the time recorded from anchorage to anchorage. The Hitchcock practically made the run in 9 days 7 hours.

As nearly as can be learned, but one sailing vessel has ever beaten the record of the Hyde. She was the famous old clipper ship Fair Wind, built for speed rather than for carrying capacity. She is reported to have made the run in 8 days 17 hours. The Hyde's smallest day's run was 210 miles, and her greatest 290 miles.

#### MARTIAL LAW NEEDED. Skaguny and Dyea Overrun by the

Lawiess Elements (ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)

SEATTLE (Wash.,) Feb. 10. - W Kenney, who left Dawson City. Jan-uary 16, arrived here tonight on the City of Topeka. He reports everything quiet at Dawson. All of the miners

quiet at Dawson. All of the miners are busy at work:

Dr. Rufus Sn.M. of, Dyea, who was also a pasenger on the City of Topeka, brings with him two petitions, whish are signed by the leading citizens of Skaguay and Dyea, asking the War Department to declare martial law in those places. Dr. Smith states that robberles and hold-ups are of daily occurrence. In his opinion the lawless element outnumbers the lawabiding two to one.

The officers of the City of, Topeka report that a body can be seen floating around in the wreck of the setamer Corona. It could not be identified.

TWO STEAMERS SAIL.

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[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] SEATTLE (Wash...) Feb. 10. — The steamers City of Seattle and Noyo sailed for Alaska today. The City of Seattle curried 600 passengers and the

Seattle carried 600 passengers and the Noyo 200.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 10.— The City of Puebla left here this morning with about two hundred gold-hunters destined for Dawson by way of Dyea and Skaguay. In the afternoon the steamer 'Alliance left with another crowd of fortune-seekers, whose destination is Copper River. From here she took eighty passengers, and at Seattle 140 more will embark. On Saturday the ational City will leave with about one hundred and seventy passengers and the wrecking scow Whitelaw will also sail with a number of passengers.

TOO GOOD TO BE TRUE.

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[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] VANCOUVER (B. C.,) Feb. 10.—It is reported that a great discovery has been made on the American side of

Victoria, B. C., writes to his brother, Karl Benzen, as follows: "We have struck it rich on an unknown creek across the border, never before seen by man. In the crevices of the rocks in one day we picked up \$50,000 in coarse gold. Sell your business, or give it away, and come quick with ten men."

en men."
The Benzens have large business interests in Vancouver, B. C., and are said to be reliable.

Several Klondikers were interviewed

as to the probability of this report being true. The richness of the re-buted discovery seems so fabulous as to create in their minds a doubtful im-pression as to its truthfulness. ANOTHER LOAD OF ARGONAUTS

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] VANCOUVER (B. C.,) Feb. 10. steamer Tees has left for Absks. She carries 877 sacks of bacon, part of the provisions being sent in by the United States relief expedition, which will be allowed to go through Canadian territory duty free. Nearly 100 passengers were aboard the Tees.

AUSTRALIAN MINERS. [ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 10 .- Amor the passengers on the steamship Mar osa, which arrived today from Aus posa, which arrived today from Australian ports, were fifty stalwart miners, who are on their way to the Alaskan gold fields. Some of them stated that at least 5000 people would leave Australia for the gold fields during the next few months.

#### next few months. RAILROAD BUILDING.

Survey Begun on Three Feeders for

the Sierra Road.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] JAMESTOWN, Feb. 10 .- This year is to see more railroad-building in the mountains of the mother lode, and work was today commenced on the surveys for three feeders for the Sierra road to radiate from this town. The roads are to be operated by electricity, for the reason that the grades can be made heavier, and the company, through its relations with the Blue Lakes electric plant, has the power to use. The three roads will connect Jamestown with Sonora, Jacksonville and the Stanislaus River. The line to Sonora will continue out Fifth avenue, following up Woods Creek a distance of about four miles. he second survey will be southward to Jacksonville, near the Tuolumne River, sime eight or sine miles from here, and the third road will be built in the drection of the Rawhde mine, continuing to the Stanislaus River. for the reason that the grades can be

River.

T. I. Bullock the prime mover of the Sierra toad, said that the three roads were to be feeders for the main line, and they would be built immediately, provided the rights-of-way could be secured without trouble and without too great expense. The power for the proposed line will be received from the Blue Lakes plant on the Mokelumne River, over a pole line now about completed from the plant toward the Rawhide mine.

#### TORTURED BY ROBBERS.

An Aged Man's Feet Burned to Make

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] MARSHFIELD (Or.,) Feb. 10.—Levi ant, an aged and well-to-do resident

sumed in fixing the time for the trial.

It was set for March 8. This morning's battle for time was for the purpose of procuring testimony from his family in Illinois, bearing upon the point of his sanity. Great interest was manifested by a large crowd in the courtroom.

#### SOUTH SEA VOLCANO.

in Eruption.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] Harris of Hyde Park, Mass., Tho has st returned from an expedition to the South Sea Islands on behalf of Baron Rothschild, reports that the volcano on Galapagos Island was in eruption. This oleano is known to have been extinct for the past fifty years, but when Mr. Harris and his party observed it, it was belching forth volumes of dense emoke and lava.

#### Interest in the Canal.

SAN FRANCISCO. Feb. 10.—The Chamber of Commerce of San Francisco, the oldest commercial organization on the Pacific Coast, through its officers and trustees, framed two urgent appeals yesterday in behalf of the speedy construction of the Nicaragua Canal. One is addressed to President Zelaya of Nicaragua and the other to President Iglesias of Costa Rica.

#### Counterfelted Liver Pills,

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 10.—George Brown, who was recently convicted of having counterfeited Carter's Little Liver Pills and selling them with bogus labels, was today sentenced by Judge Joachimsen to pay a fine of \$500 for the first offense, and to be imprisoned in the County Jail for two days for the second.

An Editor in Contempt. WOODLAND, Feb. 10.—Judge Cart has cited Editor Dungan of the Mell to show cause why he shall not be adjudged guilty of contempt of court for his editorial comments on the sewer-farm trial.

Arizona Supreme Court Adjourns. PHOENIX (Ariz...) Feb. 10.—The Supreme Court of Arizona adjourned at recess today to reconvene February 23. Decisions will then be rendered on a large calendar of cases.

#### New Orleans Races.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 10.was fast and weather fair. Results:
Six and one-half furlongs, selling:
Aunt Maggle won, Tom Kingsley second, Saratoga third; time 1:234.
Six furlongs: Takanasse won,
Brighter second, Alkiris third; time

Brighter second, Aikins third,

1:15.

Mile and an eighth, hurdle handicap:
Arrezzo won, Repeater second, Brakeman third; time 2:06½.

Handicap, seven furlongs: David won, Sim W. second, Col. Gay third; time 1:29.

One mile: Percy F. won, 'Possum second, R. B. Sack third; time 1:43½.

Seven furlongs: Tremena . won, Maggie S. second, Shuttlecock third; time 1:30.

## HARBOR BIDS. JUDGES OF

(CONTINUED FROM FIRST PAGE.)

Los Angeles Daily Times.

Own rock, foundation, 82 cents; sub-structure, 78 cents; superstructure, own rock, foundation, 52 cents, superstructure, \$1.75; concrete, \$6.56. San Clemente rock, foundation, 73 cents; substructure, 72 cents; superstructure, \$1.70; concrete, \$6.50. Gratton & Jennings, New York: Own

rock, foundation, 92 cents; substruc-ture, 92 cents; superstructure, \$2; concrete, \$5. Hale, Abbott, O'Meary & Gamble, St.

Hale, Abbott, O'Meary & Gamble, St.
Louis: Own rock, foundation, 87
cents; substructure, 87 cents; superstructure, \$3.16; concrete, \$6. San
Clemente rock, foundation, 78 cents;
substructure, 78 cents; superstructure,
concrete, \$5. San Clemente rock, foundation, 90 cents; substructure, 90 cents;
superstructure, \$1.75; concrete, \$5.
Jacob Friday & Sons, Pittsburgh:
Own rock, foundation, \$1.19½; substructure, \$1.19½; superstructure,
\$1.19½; concrete, \$5. San Clemente
rock, foundation, \$1.08½; substructure,
\$1.08½; superstructure, \$1.08½; concrote, \$5.
McDonald, Kilibrew & Co., St. Louis:

McDonald, Kilibrew & Co., St. Louis Own rock, foundation, 89 cects; substructure, 89 cents; superstructure, \$1.49; concrete, \$6. San Clemente rock, foundation, 88 9-9 cents; substructure, 88 9-10 cents; superstructure, \$1.48 9-10; concrete, \$6.

concrete, \$6.

Warren Malley Day, San Francisco:
Foundation, 83 cents; substructure, 55
cents; superstructure, \$3; concrete,
\$5.50.

W. L. Pratten, Jr., Oakland: Own
rock, foundation, 87.7 cents; substruc-

cents; superstructure, \$3; concrete, \$5.50.

W. L. Pratten, Jr., Oakland: Own rock, foundation, 87.7 cents; substructure, 87.7 cents; superstructure, \$2.79; concrete, \$5. San Clemente rock, foundation, 77.7 cents; substructure, 77.7 cents; superstructure, \$2.59; concrete, \$5. Hale & Kern Construction Company, Portland, Or.: Own rock, foundation, 85 cents; substructure, 85 cents; superstructure, \$2.25; concrete, \$6. San Clemente rock, foundation, 80 cents; substructure, 80 cents; superstructure, \$1.75; concrete, \$6. San Clemente rock, foundation, 85 cents; substructure, 85 cents; superstructure, \$1.49; concrete, \$9. San Clemente rock, foundation, 83 cents; substructure, 85 cents; substructure, \$1.49; concrete, \$9. San Clemente rock, foundation, 83 cents; substructure, \$3 cents; superstructure, \$1.47; concrete, \$9. J. C. Bull, Jr.: San Clemente rock only, foundation, 99 cents; substructure, 99 cents; superstructure, 99 cents; superstructure, 99 cents; concrete, \$9.63.

INDIVIDUAL BIDS. SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 10 .- The to als of the individual bids, in round

tale of the individual bids, in round numbers, are: Hingston & Sylvester, Buffalo, N. Y.: Own rock, foundation, \$95,214; sub-structure, \$986,138; superstructure, \$421,-987; concrete, \$17,775; total, \$1,520,214. San Clemente rock, foundation, \$88,413; substructure, \$889,375; superstructure, \$354,600; concrete, \$17,775; total, \$1,350,-145.

Heldmaier & Neu, Chicago: Own rock, foundation, \$85,693; substructure, \$1,218,170; superstructure, \$367,898; concrete, \$16,116; total, \$1,687,177. San Clemente rock, foundation, \$74,131; substructure, \$1,143,841; superstructure, \$1,143,841; superstructure, \$1,59,570; concrete, \$16,116; total, \$1,293,-641.

Smith & Mallory, Sherrytown, Iowa. Own rock, foundation, \$107,456; sub-structure, \$1,411,630; superstructure \$22,256; concrete, \$9480; total, \$1,849,822 Rudolph Asman & Co., San Pedro, Cal.: Both rock, foundation, \$86,982; substructure, \$1,353,522; superstructure, \$427,736; concrete, \$18.960; total, \$1,886,-271. 71. McDonald, Killebrew &

McDonald, Killebrew & Co., St. Louis: Own rock, foundation, \$118,-158: substructure, \$1,527,546; superstructure, \$330,231; concrete, \$14,220; total, \$1,990,355. San Clemente rock, foundation, \$106,342; substructure, \$1,-374,792; superstructure, \$297,208; concrete, \$14,220; total, \$1,792,562. Griffiths & McDermett, Chicago: Own rock, foundation, \$111,536; substructure, \$1,598,218; superstructure, \$387,844; concrete, \$15,405; total, \$2,-22,995. San Clemente rock, foundation, \$99,295; substructure, \$1,392,194; superstructure, \$357,646; concrete, \$1,5405; total, \$1,883,657. W. T. Graynor, Fayettsville, N. Y.: Own rock, foundation, \$115,417; application of the control of the co

405; total, \$1.883,657.

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J. C. Bull, Jr., Arcata: San Clemente rock, foundation, \$135,760; substructure, \$1,914.267; superstructure, \$219,519; concrete, \$22,727; total, \$2,292,-273.

\$387,844; concrete, \$11,850; total, \$2,263,\$355.

Hall & Kern Construction Company,
Portland, Or.: Own rock, foundation,
\$15,617; substructure, \$1,043, 563; superstructure, \$48,656; concrete, \$14,220; total, \$2,372,056. San Clemente rock:
Foundation, \$108,816; substructure, \$1,546,882: superstructure, \$237,844; concrete, \$14,447; total, \$2,057,982.

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California Construction Company, California Construction Company, San Francisco: Own rock, foundation, \$129,219; substructure, \$1,836,923; superstructure, \$653,799; concrete, \$13,391; total, \$2,633,327. San Clemente rock, foundation, \$118,182; substructure, \$1,-643,563; superstructure, \$642,713; concrete, \$13,391; total, \$2,417,391.

Jacob Friday & Sons, Pittsburgh: On rock, foundation, \$162,644; substructure, \$2,310,656; superstructure, \$264,519; concrete, \$11,850; total, \$2,749,-669. San Clemente rock, foundation,

669. San Clemente rock, foundation, \$147.582; substructure, \$2.997.959; super-structure, \$240,463; concrete, \$11,850; to-tal, \$2,497.854. Knapp & Gillen, Racine, Wis.: San Clemente rock, foundation, \$135,541;

Clemente rock, foundation, \$135,541; substructure, \$2,061,955; superstructure, \$664,875; concrete, \$14,220; total, \$2,-

876,591.

National Contracting Company. New York: Own rock. foundation. \$272,040; substructure, \$3.867,206; superstructure, \$443,250; concrete, \$14,220; total. \$4,596,716. San Clemente rock. foundation. \$133,620; substructure, \$1,885,273; superstructure, \$216,084; concrete, \$14,220; total. \$2,249,187.

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Even since Stephen Page met his death arough "scorehing," the police have been looking after the fellows who propel their bi-cycles through the streets at a greater speed cycles through the streets at a greater speed than eight miles an hour. They can't always tell how fast the "scorchers" are going, but their instruction are to stop every fellow who tears along at a speed that appears to be too great for safety. The cops run considerable great for safety. The cops run considerat risk in trying to stop the culprits, but c casionally an officer is found brave enough

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[Signed] HARRY CHANDLER.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th
day of February, 1888.
[Seal] THOMAS L CHAPIN,
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WANTED — 2 COURAGEOUS, ENERGETIC ladies would like to accompany a party of men to Alaska, as cooks, nurses, waitresses, clerks; no triflers. Address W, box 29, TIMES OFFICE.

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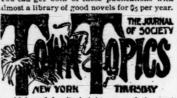
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## A WALK-OVER.

A. M. BRAGG ELECTED TO THE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

carcher for Buried Treasure-City Council Asked to Raise the Park Superintendent's Salary.

HE HAD MURDER IN HIS HEART

WILFORD GLOVER SENTENCED TO FOLSOM FOR TEN YEARS.

Sue Ying Had Too Many Husbands Her First Spouse Returns from China and Finds Her Wedded to Another.

The special election held yesterday in the Seventh Ward for the purpose of electing a member of the Board of Education was a quiet affair, and only a small vote was polled. A. M. Bragg, the Democratic nominee, was elected, practically without opposition.

The Park Commissioners, at their meeting yesterday, received a petition asking permission to search for buried treasure in Elysian Park. The petition was granted. The commissioners adopted a recommendation to the County of the Coun cil that the salary of the Park Super-

wilford Glover, who attempted to murder Dr. Paul R. Moore, with intent to commit a robbery to repay his pre-vious pilferings, was yesterday sen-tenced by Judge Smith to serve ten

years in Folsom penitentiary.
Sue Ying has got into a peck of trouble because she was a little careless as to how many husbands she had at a time. She was arrested yesterday for bigamy.

[AT THE CITY HALL.]

#### NEW SCHOOL DIRECTOR

A. M. BRAGG ELECTED IN THE SEVENTH WARD.

eker After Burled Treasure in Elysian Park - Park Commis-sioners Recommend That Su-perintendent Garey's Salary Be

The special election held yesterday in the Seventh ward for the purpose of electing a member of the Board of Ed-ucation called out a very light vote. Only about one-tenth of the registered electors of the ward went to the polls. It was of course a foregone conclu-

Park.

regular meeting yesterday morning, received a petition from William P. Newton asking permission to dig for buried treasure in Elysian Park. A tradition has long been current that a large amount of treasure was harded to the part of treasure was a number of years. a large amount of treasure was burled in the park a number of years ago, by a wealthy Mexican. Several attempts have been made to find it, but without success. Mr. Newton said that he had no new information as to the location of the treasure, but he hopes to be able to find it with a divining rod of his own invention. The request caused some amusement among the Commissioners, but was finally granted, with the stipulation that all excavations shall be made under the direction of the board.

The following resolution was adopted: "Whereas, in the opinion of this board, the salary of the Superintendent of Parks is not sufficient for the large amount of work required of him in the discharge of the responsible duties intrusted to him, be it "Resolved, that the attention of the Honorable City Council be called to the facts, and that that body be earnestly requested to increase the salary of the said Superintendent of Parks to an amount in keeping with said position."

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The Commissioners adopted a recommendation to the Council that the Wilshire boulevard be opened through Sunset Park to a width of 120 feet, in accordance with petition recently presented to the Council, and referred to the Commission. The petition also asked that Hoover street be widened through the park, but action upon this request was deferred.

Attention was called to the fact that some persons have been building on land lying within the boundaries of Elysian Park. A resolution was accordingly adopted asking the City Engineer to define the lines of the park.

Superintendent Garey reported that the bear and been informed by the City Attorney that all legal difficulties to the opening of Lake Shore avenue, on the west side of Echo Park, had been removed. The board accordingly adopted a resolution asking the Council to direct the Street Superintendent.

to remove the fences and other ob-structions to the opening of the street. The special committee appointed to investigate the proposition of Charles G. Beers to establish amusements and attractions in Elysian Park asked further time.

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A. G. McCausland appeared before the board to urge that the department take space in the panoramic view of California, to be given at the Omaha Exposition. The panorama consists of a series of gigantic pictures characteristic of California scenes. The expense of placing a park scene on one of the spaces would be \$100. The Commissioners decided to recommend to the Council that the proposition be accepted, and that the necessary appropriation be made.

A donation from George W. McMullen of three plants from the West Indies was accepted, and the secretary was directed to convey to the donor the thanks of the board.

#### First-street Assessment.

The assessment for the repairing of First street from Main street to Santa Fé avenue has been completed by the Street Department. The total amount of the assessment is \$17,398.48. The paving was done by the Alcatraz Asphalt Paving Company, and comprised 125,177.83 square feet.

Street Superintendent Drain inspected

yesterday the improvements on Toberman street from Sixteenth to Washing ton street. He found the work unsatisfactory, and will compel the contractor to do a portion of it again.

A potest has been filed against the acceptance of improvements on Towne avenue from Sixth to Seventh street.

(AT THE COURT HOUSE.) GLOVER RETARED.

HE IS SENTENCED TO SERVE TEN YEARS IN FOLSOM.

The Youthful Highwayman Pleade Guilty to Committing an Assault Upon Dr. P. R. Moore With In-tent to Murder Him.

Wilford S. Glover the fifteen-year-old boy who attempted to murder Dr. Paul R. Moore with intent to commit robbery, on November 6, pleaded guisty of the crime yesterday morning, and was sentenced by Judge Smith to serve

ten years in Folsom Penitentiary.
This plea was unexpected, as it was understood that Glover's attorneys would go to trial and set up insanity as a defense. They did, in fact, intend to do so, but changed their minds day be fore yesterday, after holding a consul-tation with the District Attorney. Wilford Glover was surrounded in

court yesterday morning by his mother brothers and sister and several relatives and former school-teachers from Glendale. His father, who is an inmate of the Soldiers' Home, was not present. The boy was dressed with great neat-ness. He sat during the proceedings, impassive, and there was not the slightest change of color or expression

It was of course a foregone conclusion that Capt. A. M. Bragg, the Democratic nominee and the only candidate in the field, would be elected. Out of a total of 276 votes cast he received 256, ten votes being cast for C. J. Kubach and ten scattering.

The returns were received by City Clerk Hance last evening. The formal canvass will be made by the City Clerk will probably issue the certificate of office of office of office of office of office of office of the Board of Education next Monday evening.

The last election of a schoof director in the Seventh ward was in December, 1896, when the now notorious J. F. Adams was the successful candidate. There were then four candidates in the field and Adams received 349 votes out of a total of 2478.

City Clerk's Report.

City Clerk's Report. Dr. Moore supposed that he really had shot himself accidentally, and sent the boy to look for his brother. He then crawled down to a stream of water several yards away and bathed his wound. Wilford started to run away when he saw that he had failed to kill his intended victim. He had not gone far when he met the doctor's brother. When Mr. Moore questioned him about the shot, which he had heard, the boy replied that Dr. Moore had shot himself, and led the way to the spot where he lay. He then helped to carry the bleeding man to his carriage, and after giving his name to George Moore, who still suspected nothing wrong, went then a physician exemined.

giving his name to George Moore, who still suspected nothing wrong, went home.

When a physician examined Dr. Moore after his arrival home he found that the wound had been made by a bullet and that he had not shot himself as he had supposed with his shotsgun. Wilford Glover was then suspected of having attempted murder and was arrested at his home. He confessed his crime and said that he had tried to kill Dr. Moore for the purpose of robbing him. He saw that his clothes were good and thought that he must have lots of money as he heard some rattle in his pocket. The boy had previously stolen \$15 from a woman who boarded with his mother at Glendale and she had threatened to have him arrested unless he returned the money. He thought that he could get the money by killing Dr. Moore and had decoyed him away from his brother with the intent to murder him. His bullet falled to kill his victim and he was afraid to take the doctors money lest he should rouse up and shoot him.

The boy repeated his confession to a number of persons and always told the story with an utter lack of any feeling.

When asked if he felt any remorse

Imbecile or morally insane. On the other hand he realized that he was doing wrong and tried the tower up his tracks. Judge Smith said: "This crime possesses all the elements of a murder. A man was shot unexpectedly in the back by this stripling who had murder in his heart and was bent on robbery. He is a dangerous character to be at large and society should be protected." He then ordered Wilford to stand up and passed sentence upon him that he should be confined in the Foisom Penitentiary for ten years. Wilford looked sullenly down but did not flinch or change color.

hange color. Mrs. Glover gave a little shrick as left the courtroom he said to one of his acquaintances making an effort to laugh, "Well I got what I wanted but I didn't think that I would get more than six years though."

The boy will be taken to the Penitentiary tomorrow.

She Took to Herself One Too Many Husbands.

The fact that pretty little Sue Ying was not familiar with Uncle Sam's law, which forbids a wife the enjoyment of more than one busband at a time, has got that fine lady into a pretty pickle. In order to evade the exclusion act, which was passed in 1891, Sue was legaily married to a Chinese merchant named Ah Wing, who was qualified to remain in the United States. But she

remain in the United States. But she never imagined for a moment that the ceremony was in any way binding. To her it was just a little contract entered into to avoid being deported.

After a little while Sue's hubby went back to China and while he was Jone the little woman met a "handsomer man," in the person of Tom Wo. The two were married and moved up to Acton, where they have been employed as cooks in the camp at the Red Rovermine.

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Ab Wing came back from China not long ago and learned that his wife had married again during his absence. He consulted his lawyer about the matter and then went before the District Attorney and swore out a warrant for Sue's arrest on a charge of bigamy.

The little woman was found at Acton by Deputy Constable De la Monte, who brought her back here yesterday afternoon. She was taken at once before Justice Young to be arraigned. Sue is a pretty girl, speaks good English and dresses in the American style. She was attired somewhat gaudily yesterday in a red checked shirt waist and a big bonnet trimmed with bright red roses. Attorney Horace Appel represented her. The manination in default of which Sue went to the County Jail.

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The China girl's employer at the Red Rover mine was present at the pro-ceedings and will interest himself in her behalf. He gives the girl the best reputation and says that she and her busband have been living quietly to-gether at the camp and are generally liked there. The girl is very bright and has assumed American manners.

BEVIONE DISCHARGED. Two Sales of Liquor Did Not Constitute a Business.
Frank Bevione was found not guilty of

conducting a liquor business without a license yesterday by Justice Young. Bevione runs a general merchandise store on East First street, near Boyle Heights, and was arrested at the instance of Deputy License Collector J. Mattock.

One witness testified that he had

One witness testified that he had purchased a quart of claret at one time and a half gallon at another from Bevione. He was the only witness for the prosecution.

Several neigh' ors of Bevione stated that they had been in his store often, and had never seen any liquor sold, nor had ever heard that he had sold any. They knew that he kept claret for his own use, and often saw it on his table. Before the defense had finished their case Asst. Dist.-Atty. James moved to dismiss the case on the ground-that the two separate sales of liquor mentioned did not constitute a business of selling liquor.

Bevione claims that his arrest grew out of a little personal difficulty which he had with the complaining witness over other matters. He admits selling the liquor in the two instances charged, but says that he sold the wine from his fown private supply as a matter of acommodation.

#### SAMUEL LEWIS'S ESTATE.

The Banker Left Property Valued as

Mrs. Mary Agnes Lewis filed her petition yesterday for the probate of the will of her late husband, Samuel J. Lewis. The deceased left property of the probable value of \$65,000. This con sists of real estate in this county val-ued at \$40,000, and personal property represented by stocks, notes and mortgages of the value of \$25,000. The vidow is named in the will as exe

Miscellaneous Driftwood Thrown into the Courts. COMMITTED TO HIGHLAND. George Degenhardt was adjudged in-sane yesterday by Judge Clark, after an examination by Dr. C. C. Buell and Dr. William Wills, and was committed to Highland. The patient has been an inmate of the County Hospital.

plaint was issued yesterday against Charles G. Van Fleet, charging him Charles G. Van Fleet, charging hin with insanity. Van Fleet is an attor ney, and has practiced law in thictly for several years. The loss of his mind is attributed to his habit of constant drinking. He is not violent, bu suffers from the delusion that he is being hounded by detectives, who hide under his house. The complaint was is sued at the instance of Dr. P. J. Shum. sued at the instance of Dr. P. J. Shum

way. SUIT ON A PROMISSORY NOTE. Gregory Perkins, Jr., filed a suit yes-terday against M. B. Miller to re-cover \$1759.70 on a promissory note.

THE EVERETT CASE. The case of THE EVERETT CASE. The case of the city against Everett's bondsmen was argued before Judge Allen yesterday, and it was decided to submit the question as to the amount due the city from Everett, to Court Commissioner H. S. Rollins. The question as to the liability of Everett's bondsmen, who are contending that the Police Court, to which he was clerk, has no legal existence, has not yet been decided.

#### HAD NO LICENSE.

Liquor to Officers.

Mrs. Harriet Wilson and her daughter. Mrs. Gay Lombard. of No. 334 East Second street, were arrested last night by Officers Hubbard and Fowler on a warrant issued by Justice

Morrison, charging them with retailing liquor without a license.

The officers assert that the women sold them or on various occasions at the ho

#### WASN'T VICTIMIZED.

ST. LOUIS DRUMMER WHO WOULD NOT PLAY SUCKER

With a Worthless Check for Six Hundred Dollars and Then Enjoys a Laugh With the Chief of

The ways of the Los Angeles ounco-steerer are devious. So are the ways of the St. Louis traveling man. When the two disciples of worldly wisdom come together there is generally a clash and sometimes a dull thud. Such meeting occurred last Monday, and

a meeting occurred last Monday, and there is rejoicing in the ranks of the righteous in consequence. Robert Dole, the traveling salesman mentioned, is a representative of a large rubber establishment in St. Louis. He arrived in this city last Monday, and while gazing absently into a store window, was engaged in conversation by a plausible young man, who contemplated a trip to the Klondike. At least the young man confided this laudable ambition to Dole and the latter became interested at once. After the suave young man had given lengthy dissertations on the land of poverty and gold, the salesman became so wrapt up in the alluring tale of his newfound friend that he "warmed up" to the young man and consented to visit a mythical Alaskan millionaire of extraordinary omniscience at No. 341½ South Spring street. This party was supposed to be a man of wonderful perspicacity, who could and would immediately endow the salesman with power to ward off all the evils %of a Klondike winter and guide him in comfort to immediate wealth and happiness. window, was engaged in conversation

ness.
Of course, the wonder wasn't in.
He never is, when he is wanted, either by strangers or the police. When the young man suggested that they play a game of poker, "just to pase away the time and get our hands in for the Alaskan pastime," the salesman demurred. He never played poker, he explained. His sponsor volunteered in formation, and the two were soon engaged with another in a quiet game of stud.

stances," he added, as he winked slyly to his confederate.

When the bettling stopped. Dole quietly signed a check for \$600 on a St. Louis bank, and then left, bewalling his hard luck. As soon as he was safely out of sight, with a man following, the quiet room was full of life. "Here!" shouted the main squeeze," take this check down to the bank and send it on for collection. Quick, before he stops payment on it. Tell 'Square' he can blow that guy. He daresn't 'holler' or he'd lose his graft with the rubber company."

But Dole did "boller." That is, he walked into the office of Chief of Police Glass an hour or so after the transaction, and in a quiet voice, queried:

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"Do you do anything with buncosteerers in this town?"
"Well," replied the Chief, cautiously,
"We try to. Have you been skinned?"
"Yes and no," replied Dole, enigmatically. "They got my check on an east-ern bank for \$600."

ern bank for \$500."

"Go telegraph and stop payment at once," commanded the Chief, "Don't waste any time."

"Oh, I'm not afraid of them cashing it," replied Dole, with a quiet smile, "I haven't any money on deposit in that bank."

#### BOOM AT HONOLULU.

GREAT INFLUX OF PEOPLE WHO SEEK INVESTMENTS.

Prices of Real Estate are Advancing—New Brick and Stone Buildings Going Up—All Capital

American.

IBY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.1 HONOLULU, Feb. 3 .- [Wired from San Francisco Feb. 10.] The influx of travelers during the last six weeks has been unprecedented. Hundreds of peoplo of capital are coming in by every steamer seeking investment in all sorts of enterprises. The majority of the newcomers are more interested in coffee then in any other branch of business. It has been demonstrated beyond a doubt that coffee culture is paying here, and the demand for lands is

great.

Prices of all kinds of real-estate are steadily advancing. Three brick and stone office buildings have been put up in this city during the past winter. Chief Justice Judd is about to put up a modern four-story office and store building, and there are two other buildings to be erected in case the islands are annexed.

All capital invested is American. A new hotel is to be erected as the present accommodations are inadequate. The prospects are that if the islands are annexed. Honolulu will have a boom, the like of which has never been known on the islands.

PERSONALS.

Edward Brown of San Francisco is registered at the Westminster.
Frank Murphy and wife of San Francisco are in the city and staying at the Westminster.
M. T. Jones of Houston, Tex., is in the city and registered at the Westminster. Mr. Jones is president of the South Texas National Bank of his city.
W. D. Tobey and daughter of Canton, Nev., are registered at the Van Nuys.

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C. C. Coe and wife of Chicago arrived in the city yesterday. They are staying at the Van Nuys.
Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Webster of Philadelphia are registered at the Van Nuys.
Sig. Steiner, Mayor of Escondido, arrived in this city last evening, to remain about a week. He is staying at the Nadeau.

Y.W.C.A. Entertainment. The following programme will be rendered at the entertainment at the Young Women's Christian Association rooms on West Second

Christian Association rooms on West Second street this evening:
Free-arm drill—Miss Lida Staffner Scott.
Violin duet, "Tansweise"—Miss Mary Mullins and Miss Dora James.
Wand and dumb-bell drill—Miss Scott.
Reading, "The Nest Egg" (James Whitcomb Reading, "The Nest Egg" (James Whitcomb Reading, "The Nisse Mullins and James.
Piano solo, Mazurka (Leschititzky) — Miss G. I. Goodwin.
Vocal solo—Miss Jennie Winston,
Reading, "The Boy Orator" (Richard Harding Davis)—Mr. Bassett.
Violin solo, "Adagio Eleque" (Wieniawski)—Edwin H. Clark.
The minuet—Miss Scott,

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#### THE PASSING OF DE LOME.

Señor Don Enrique Dupuy de Lome erstwhile Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the kingdom of Spain to the republic of the United States, is now merely Mr. de Lome. The glories of his official flignity, pomp, circumstance, and authority have vanished into impalpable air. He is persona non grata alike to the United States government and to the American people, and he Is about to leave the country for the tountry's good. His departure will not be regretted. His return is not

Taking all the circumstances into consideration, Mr. De Lome's offense is exceptionally rank. It is particu-iarly and specifically offensive in the ostrils of all loyal Americans, without the least regard to political affiliations. In attacking the President of the United States, with a coarse and currilous language, Mr. de Lome attacked the American people, of whom the President is the chosen head. De Lome having acknowledged his oflense, his prompt recall was the only course consistent with diplomatic expediency and the demands of public sentiment. De Lome's usefulness as a representative of his country in the United States ended abruptly with the publication of his ill-advised and slanderous letter to Canalejas.

What will be the outcome of De Lome's recall? Nothing of a necessarily serious nature. Similar events have occurred in the past without disairbing our friendly relations with the powers directly interested. The De Lome incident need not materially change the status of affairs as beween this country and Spain. , His successor can be named as promptly is the Spanish government sees fit to name him, and the incident will be sverlooked, if not forgotten. If De Lome's successor has the good sense will be treated with the courtesy due

to his position. But it cannot be denied that De offense, and the publicity which it has received, will serve to irftate the none too pleasant feelings already existing between this country ind Spain. The events of the next ew days will determine what effect, f any, this increased irritation will have upon the Cuban question, and our relations thereto. Affairs in Cuba tre steadily tending toward a crisis which may determine the fate of the revolution. In the possible complicaions of the near future, the De Lome neident may or may not play an important part. At all events, the reall of De Lome was inevitable, and t is well that it was effected without innecessary delay.

Young Mr. Huntington, the nephew if his uncle, says the fenderless elecrical juggernauts with which uncle end nephew are rapidly depletly the topulation of San Francisco would e perfectly harmless if people would stay off the street-car tracks. This s a wise observation, worthy the great mind in which it originates, and the San Francisco public will be telieved to learn that Mr. Hunting on's cars do not make it their regalar business to chase people cross ots, and through cow pastures, and grind them to death among the lilies of the valley.

A Kansas City minister recently, printed a sermon on "How to Get D. Hell." That Kansas City should seed any pointers in this regard will be received by the country at large with considerable surprise, and still believe that if the people of that town will keep right on in the way they have been going, they will get longer the remains, would doubtless there all right and with the usual have been in a still more mangled number of feet

MIGHTY SMALL BUSINESS.

ing to subscribe to the fiesta fund this

meanness that has been on exhibitio

here since a deceased magnate of the

grow in the streets of Los Angeles.

dollar contributed by the railroads to

four years, they have received a hun-

ment; and yet this year they have

declined to put up a cent, doubtless being under the impression that the

merchants and business men of the

city, rather than see the enterprise

fail, would subscribe all the needful

funds, leaving all the proceeds for

transportation as clear profit. In the

language of the street gamin, the

nerchants will "fool them a bunch."

The fiesta is to be abandoned, and the

thousands of dollars that the rail-

roads would have received because of

the increase of traffic, will remain in

the pockets of the people who re-

main at home, because there is to be

methods adopted by Collis P. Hunt-

ington to punish this community for

standing up for its rights in the mat-

hold a carnival than will any other

single interest in Southern California.

The Santa Fé Company, from which

better things might have been ex-

pected by our people, has also refused

planned for 1898 will not be, unless

other resources be thrown into the

No doubt there will be rocks thrown

at Los Angeles, by our neighbors, be-

cause of the failure of this enterprise

heretofore carried out with such

spirited success, but let the blame for

the failure be upon those who are

road companies, who have always

reaped the big end of the profit, and

not upon the resolute, public-spirited

people of this city, who are always ready to do their share toward any-

the glory and prestige of this mach-

less city and the beautiful section of which it is the capital.

The resolutions of the Fiesta Com-

mittee, published elsewhere, set out the case clearly and give reasons for

able fall-down of the enterprise. Citi-

zens! let us see whether this "lame and impotent conclusion" is, after all,

really inevitable. Let us counsel to-

proud city of Los Angeles is indeed

the football of two railway corpora-

tions. Let us act independently and

THE FRENCH FARCE.

France, judging by the cabled report

of the Zola trial. Here is a sample:

"More than two hundred barristers

in their robes gathered at the public

entrance and indulged in horse play.

When the presiding Judge ordered

them not to obstruct the passage, the

barristers made a demonstration

against the Judge." Fancy a lot of

American lawyers "making a demon-

stration against the judge" without

getting a chance to spend a term in

reciting the fact that the military

was called in, resulting in a "violent affray," says: "The barristers rushed

upon the guards and struck them. One

of the young lawyers was arrested

but after quiet had been restored he

was released. Gen. Gonz refused to

testify. A scene followed and the

court was cleared." All this sounds

to us, who are familiar with the de

corum and dignity of our courts, like

a scene from one of McNally's most

idiotic farce-comedies; indeed, it re-

sembles, in many particulars, the las

act of "Courted into Court." Our

courts may fail lamentably in some

things, but they certainly do not permit

the rabble to run them, nor do they placidly sit by and hear witnesse

refuse to testify without exerting their

authority. If the Zola trial is not a

screaming farce, our Callic friends

Mr. Bailey of Texas complains that

the debate on the Teller resolution

was too short, but if it had been any

ought to take in their sign.

The dispatch referred to after

They do things queerly in la belle

the fiesta of 1898 shall be held.

and determine whether the

for ourselves whether or no

what seems now to h

thing that has a tendency to add

directly responsible for it-the rail-

And so the fiesta

to subscribe.

breach

dred dollars as interest on the invest-

The action of the railroads in refus

"If it be true, as charged, that certain members of the Board of Educa-tion have engaged in the business of selling places in the department, no punishment prescribed by the law is sufficiently severe for them. Hanging is too good for a man who will accept the sacred trust of school director and betray it. Such a man, in or-der that he may pocket a few filthy follars, would corrupt the morals of a generation of youth and sow the seeds of dishonesty where the rank resultant growth may never be exterminated. In advance of an investigation or a public trial, perhaps an opin-ion cannot be properly expressed as to the truth or falsity of the charges which have been preferred against two school directors in this city. But it must be said that the allegations of the accusers bear all the marks of circumstantiality, and are in strict accord with the probabilities in a general way the public will be eve that a man who, as school diector, will make places for all relatives in the department, will also sell positions when he gets a chance sting one's ignorant and disquali ed relations upon the schools is not by more creditable than selling the aces they fill to qualified persons. year is about the smallest bit of petty both cases it is a boodle proposin, and in each case the result is S. P. of Kentucky declared that his through the political mire corporation would "cause the grass to obably a determined attempt will e made in the grand jury to white-rash these accused school directors. This will be the case whether they are Of all those interests which reap a large and direct benefit from the holdilty or not. But even if probable ing of an annual carnival, the transuse is found against them by the and jury, the difficulty of proving portation lines get the big end. It is not too much to say that for every ch charges in court nearly always nables the culprits to escape ward the fiesta fund during the past

PECKSNIFF SPEAKS.

In the San Francisco Call of Feb-

erything except their reputations.' In view of the despicable course rsued by the San Francisco Call in championing the cause of the boodlers and place-mongers of the Los Angeles Board of Education, the Pecksniffian sanctimoniousness of the above utterances is too obvious to require exended comment. The school-board scandal in San Francisco has so many elements in common with that of Los Angeles as to be essentially parallel case. Yet the Call impu ently poses as the champion of dein San Francisco, regardless of the fact that it played the part of a journalistic harridan in Los Angeles. It is a case of unmitigated gall and

no festival to attract them to the city. We have not the slightest doubt impure cussedness. Further on in the same article this Pecksniffian pretender says: that this proceeding is one of the

"Evidently corruption in the school lities. So long as the men chosen o conduct the schools are selected by political conventions from the ignorant and selfish members of the comhabit of that rule-or-ruin autocrat, he is biting off his own nose to spite his munity, so long will they be dragged face. The S. P. of Kentucky will in the mud and continue to be suffer more because of this failure to football of corrupt politicians. I should be done with the school partment is to take it out of politics."

The journal which gives utterance to these virtuous sentiments has for weeks past been engaged in championing the worst gang of petty corruptionists that ever debauched the local politics or disgraced the educational system of Los Angeles. fact, which is known to every inelligent person in this city, is a sufficient comment upon the sanctimonious moralizing of the most disreputable sheet printed on the Pa-

cific Coast. The Gall of San Francisco, has not yet heard that Grider and Hutchison opposed and voted against the resolution recently adopted by the Angeles City Council, imstructing the water company to submit an inventory of its property. Being ignorant of this fact—as of most other connected with this matter-the Gall continues to commend the majority of which Grider and Hutchison did their in any other old State. best to prevent. Snyder (Mayor) has not been heard from on the proposition, but the presumption is strong that he, too, was opposed to the action taken. The ignorance of the Gall as to the attitude of its Populistic clientele in this matter is easily av. It relies upon the statements of its mendacious correspond-ent in Los Angeles for information on the subject, and that scaly individual prefers to lie even when the truth would serve as well. If the San Francisco Gall would take a little pains to ascertain the truth about matters upon which it comments so glibly, it would not so often make of itself an unmitigated ass and a public laughing-stock.

At last Chicago has no Luetgeri case, but conviction is doubtless only one chapter in it. We have a fashior in America of prolonging an agony of this sort, and the Chicago lawyers are experts in the art of delaying execution of sentence. The famous wifemelter is under conviction, but he is neither hanged vet nor in the nent. tentiary. If guilty, he ought to have received the former penalty; if innocent, he should have been freed. He will doubtless receive the boon freedom later on.

The Governor of New York should declare a legal holiday. Mrs. Oelrichs, one o' them Jim Fair girls," who got a tack in her eye, has recovered and is "now able to resume her so cial duties." The momentous news reached this Coast by wire yesterday and the bulletin-boards were sur rounded by a crowd all day, reading and re-reading the joyous intelligence.

The surprising information comes trickling down the telegraph from the North that the men implicated in the Yolo trainwrecking by Worden's confession, "assert their in-nocence." Of course we all expected they would go forthwith and give themselves up with a request to be

that country. When two firey spirits like these timber up their linguistic uary 8, 1898, appeared an editorial ommenting upon the school-board guns, if the enemy is wise it will keep scandal in that city. That paper to the bomb-proofs and the rifle-pits

terror to the hearts of the people of

until the hurtling shots of nouns, verbs, adjectives, participles, adverbs and other parts of speech have quit hurtling.

Kentucky is about to enjoy the elicity of a left-handed duel, in which one of the Breckinridge family is to be a participant; but if the young does not make a better "out" at it than did his father with a wife of the left-handed variety, the performance will be a painful one for young Mr. Breckinridge.

A ferry-boat captain of San Francisco claims to have been kissed by a real lady while on one of his trips across the bay, but those of us who have gazed on those captains want to see the documents. If any lady did this thing she establishes the fact that she is at the very least, no gentleman.

The Illinois Senate concurs in esolution favoring the annexation of Hawaii, but when one stops to consider the reputation of the Illinois Legislature, his sympathy is sort of drawn out for the annexations, really are not deserving of this additional handicap.

Parson Brown's Chicago congrega tion having voted to retain him. It would probably not refuse to extend the right hand of fellowship to Mat tie Overman, and it certainly ought to reach for her.

Young Mr. Leiter is still keeping his iron grip on the Chicago wheat market, but it is not at all unlikely that we may yet hear him yelling like a Comanche for somebody to help him let go.

A disease called foot rot has broken out in Nebraska. There was a time when the Populists were so thick in Nebraska that it looked as if the head rot was somewhat prevalent in that

Senator Allen says he has "been gibbeted on the cross roads of public opinion." Glad to hear it. We knew it was the proper thing to do, but eared no one would attend to the matter.

The Chicago papers are wailing at the loss of "Old Anse" from the baseball field. We must confess that the field is going to look a good deal as does "Robin Hood" without Barnabee

The men whom Worden accuses in his "confession" are now endeavoring to make public just how many kinds of a liar they think the aforesaid Worden to be. The number is large.

The San Francisco Merchants' Association is urging the cultivation of hemp. Now if we can get our courts to use the crop more generally, after it is harvested, all will be lovely.

Nicaraguan rebels have punched ome holes in the American flag, but let us not be stampeded; they are not going to punch any holes in the United States of America.

We are not surprised to learn that some of the residents of the oil district have discovered that oil boring is a good deal of a bore.

London has a new fad, perfumed butter, but in this country we are making quite a specialty of the unodorous egg for table use.

State," but there isn't any more trouthe Council for taking the action ble bruin around here than there is

The East calls California the "Bear

his glory. Let us hope that the pelice will not permit Los Angeles to become Chicagoized. "Parson" Brown should take his confession and go on the vaudeville

drawing card. Mr. Worden, it seems, is almost as expert, as confessor, as Parson Brown, but he is shy on rehearsals.

stage. It would doubtless prove a

Spain also has her Sackville-West

and his name is De Lome. Señor de Lome, go home!

#### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* The Mayhouses

LOS ANGELES THEATER. One of the largest audiences ever gathered within the walls of the Los Angeles Theater assembled last night to bid the Bostonians "farewell until we meet again," and the delightful music and delicious fooling of "Robin Hood" was given with the same vim, spirit and joyousness as ever. Mr. Barnabee re-ceived a royal ovation as he came upon the scene, which was as cordial and heart-warming a reception as was ever accorded an artist. He an-nounced himself as "slightly disfigured, ever accorded an artist. He announced himself as "slightly disfigured, but still in the ring," a statement borne out by a very evident hoarseness. Mr. Barnabee expresses himself as much more grieved at being unable to appear during the entire season here than his audience could possibly, but the climate of "back East" has just succeeded in getting in its deadly work, and he was compelled to succumb—it wasn't our climate.

Mr. Macdonald sang the role of Little John, in his usual painstaking way, and Alice Nielsen appeared as Maid Marian, and achieved a great success. Miss Davis and Mr. Cowles came in for the usual repeated recalls for their famous numbers, and Jolly Friar Tuck made the evening one of joyful monkery, so to speak.

The Bostonians' engagement this season breaks the record, and the management assures as that upon their

themselves up with a request to be hanged.

Senators Mason and Cannon have opened fire on Spain, and the enfilading fire of language doubtless drove

The Dostomans engagement as season breaks the record, and the management assures us that upon their next visit they will remain for a week and give every one a chance to hear them. The company sings in San Diego touight, where the advance sale is pronounced something phenomenal.

Phoenix, and Helen Alexander, daugn-ter of J. L. B. Alexander, all gowned in white organdle garnitured with ribbon and carrying white violets and ferns, preceded the maid of honor and stretched broad white ribbons to form stretched broad white ribbons to form an aisle for the bride. The maid of honor, Miss Anna Carson, a cousin of the bride, was gowned in white silk veiled with white Brussels net, and carried a cluster of bride roses. The bride, who was escorted and given away by her brother, Joseph L. B. Alexander of Phoenix, Ariz, wore a splendid gown of white and gold broads, dealprately agentured with rose-ade, elaborately agentured with rosesplendid gown of white and gold broade, elaborately garnitured with rosepoint lace, and carried illies of the valley. Her long tulle veil was fastened
with a diamond clover leaf, and at her
throat was a diamond brooch, the gift
the groom. Walter G. Barnwell assisted as best man. The decorations,
which had been arranged under the direction of J. G. Morley, were exceptionally beautiful. At the end of the
double drawing-room, where the bridal
party gathered, was represented a porally beautiful. At the end of the double drawing-room, where the bridal party gathered, was represented a portion of the old bell tower of the San Gabriel Mission, the framework being made of smilax, ivy and ferns, starred with clusters of white carnations and the faree bells of white Roman hyacinths and maldembair. Above were poised four white doves, catching in their beaks the ends of long white satin ribbons, and from the chandelier to the walls were caught ropes of smilax and hyacinths, ferming a graceful canopy. In the adjoining parlor the mantel was banked with hyacinths and pink carnations and the doors, windows and grill-work were outlined with date palms and smilax. The two long halls were ccaverted into green bowers with arching date palms that met overhead. Massed on either side were potted ferns and rolms. Countless thousands of violets were used about the stairway and the newel post was massed solidly with the fragrant flowers. The room in which the orchestra was stationed was decorated with hyacinthe, violets and unilax. The lecorated with hyacinths, violets and milax. The dining-room, where an degant breakfast was served by Chrise decorations were in plak and white The mantel was banked with pink car ations and the long table at which the oridal party was seated, was elabor stely decorated with Roman hyacinths terns and white satin ribbons. Mr terns and white satin ribbons. Mr. Barnwell acted as teast-master. Col. Thomas Fitch of Phoenix, at the request of Mr. Carson, responded to the teast to the bride and groom, and speeches were also made by Maj. Truman, Gen. Sherman, Messrs, F. K. Rule, Thomas and Workman. After the blessing was pronounced at the breakfast. man, Gen. Sherman, Messrs. F. K. Rule, Thomas and Workman. After the blessing was pronounced at the breakfast. Miss Ida Smythe sang "O Promise Me," and later several songs were rendered by Mrs. Modini-Wood and Mrs. Perne Johnson. The gifts were numerous and very handsome and completely filled the room in which they were exhibited. Dr. and Mrs. Fleming left for San Francisco for a visit of two or three weeks and will be at home Thursdays in March at No. 728 Westlake avenue. The bride's going-away gown was of Napoleon blue broadcloth, gamilured with black braid, and fer hat was of blue velvet, finished with black plumes. Those who were there were:

Mesdames John F. Francis, Modini-Wood, George Carson, M. D. Watson, C. E. Guyer, Charles Caldwell, John Carson, Ed Carson, Henry Carson, J. J. Watson, P. Watson, Lilly Watson, Virginia Gutsch, Joseph Wolfskill, M. A. Alexander, J. L. B. Alexander, A. C. Baker, E. J. Bennitt, F. T. Bicknell, W. H. Workman, F. K. Rule, M. E. Rule, Thomas Fitch, O. J. Thibido, H. Newmark, M. Newmark, Kasper Cohn, F. J. Thomas, Ben C. Truman, Alfred Solano, A. L. Macleish, Perne Johnson, Len Doran, L. C. Goodwin, George L. Cole.

Misses G. M. Dominguez, Anna Carson, Amelia Carson, Victoria Carson, Lucy Carson, Ida Smythe, Wolfskill, Etchemendy, Baker, Helen Alexander, Bicknell, O. J. Thibido, A. L. Macleish, Macl

The hold-up artist is here in all his glory. Let us hope that the poice will not permit Los Angeles to become Chicagoized.

Gen. M. H. Sherman, Col. Thomas Fitch, Mai. Truman; Drs. F. T. Bicknell, O. J. Thibido, A. L. Macleish, MacGowan, E. A. Bryant, F. K. Ainsworth; Messre John F. Francis, Modini-Wood, George Carson, C. E. Guyer, Charles Caldwell, John Carson, Ed Carson, George Carson, William Carson, Ed Carson, George Carson, Ulliam Carson, Ed Carson, George Carson, Ulliam Carson, Ed Carson, Carson, L. Watson, Carson, C. E. Guyer, Carson, C. E. Guyer, Carson, C. E. Guyer, C. Carson, C. E. Guyer, C. Carson, C. E. Guyer, C. Carson, C. E. Carson, C Charles Caldwell, John Carson, Ed Carson, George Carson, William Carson, David Carson, J. J. Watson, P. Watson. Wolfskill, A. C. Baker, Bennitt, W. H. Workman, William Workman, Jr.; F. K. Rule, Frank Rule, Orville Rule, H. Newmark, M. New-mark, Kaspar Cohn, F. J. Thomas, Alfred Solano, Perne Johnson, Len Do-ran, R. B. Dickinson, Charles Dick, Long, Harry Maxwell; Masters Baker.

Turnverein Hall was the scene of rare brilliancy lastq evening at the dancing party given by Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Howell and Mr. and Mrs. Mark B. Lewis, to meet their charming guests, Miss Howell of North Carolina and Miss McQueen of Alabama. The decorations, which had been arranged by Mrs. Bancroft, were very artistic, and formed a most effective setting for the exceptionally beautiful gowns. Scarfs of alternately pink and white tarleton were festoomed from the great, pink-shaded chandellers to the balconies, where they were caught with clusters of fan palms and huge bows of the filmy gauze. The windows were screened with pink draperies, and in the spaces between were fastened date palms curving into wreaths and caught with bows of tarleton. The stage, where Lowinsky's Orchestra Turnverein Hall was the scene stage, where Lowinsky's Orchestr was stationed, was banked with potte plants and festooned with pink white scarfs. The same schem white scarfs. The same scheme decoration was carried out in the di ing-room, where Slaten served an elal orate supper, and the long tables we lighted with pink candles set in silv orate supper, and the long tables were lighted with pink candles set in silver candelabra. Among those who were there were: Mr. and Mrs. Ben Goodrich, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Barker, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Holliday, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Bush, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Braly, Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Graves, Mrs. H. M. Sale, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Sale, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Read, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Do, and Mrs. W. C. Read, Mr. and Mrs. Willoughby Rodman, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. G. Bundrum, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Norton, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Joyce, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Johnson, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Landon Horton, Mr. and Mrs. McD. Potter, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jevne, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hines, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Ray, Mr. and Mrs. B. G. T. Gay, Lieut. and Mrs. King, Dr. and Carl Kurtz, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Ross Clark, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. A. Off, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Davidson, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Brand, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Albee, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Creighton. J. A. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Davidson, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Brand. Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Wilson. Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Naftzger, Mr. and Mrs. T. Creighton, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Stimson of Pasadena. Mr. and Mrs. Roth Hamilton

Events in Society.

Dr. and Mrs. S. S. Salisbury, Judge and Mrs. M. T. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Charles McFarland, Mr. and Mrs. Charles McFarland, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dággett of Pasadena, Theo L. Burnett. Margaret Hobbs, the Misses Sara Goodrich, Bessie Bonsall, Harriet Smith, Lillian Wellborn, Dorothy Wellborn, Sada Johnson, Gertrude Jonhson, Helen and Lila Fairchild, Burnett, Marle Burnett, Kathrine Johnson, Birdie Chanslor, Irene Stephens, Genevieve Smith, Emma Graves, Hattie Kimball, Jessie Kimball, Boggs of Texas, the Misses Daggett of Pasadena, Wisses a very brilliant effair. The bride, who is a member of the well-known Dominguez family, was the very charming queen of the last fiesta. The ceremony, which took place at the old Dominguez ranch, the birthplace of the bride, at the residence of her cousin, George Carson, was performed by the vicar-general, J. Adam. As the bridal party entered the drawing-room the "Bridal Chorus" from "Lohengric" was played by Arend's Orchestra. Three little flower girls, Francisca and Mary Baker, daughters of Judge Baker of Phoenix, and Helen Alexander, daughter of J. B. Alexander, all gowned in white organdle garnitured with ribbon Glen Spence, Sam Haskins, A. J. Wa-lers, Charles A. Davis of Pittsburgh, Carroll Allen, Robert Rowan, Ed Rob-nson, Robert Wankowski, B. E. Green inson, Robert Wankowski, B. E. Green George Lawrence, F. L. Forrester, J H. Mott, Dr. J. S. Owens, W. B. Kemper, Jr., Harry S. Williams, Phi Lyon, Frank G. Schumacher, John Bleekman of Chicago, J. Cunningham Alex Bush, Albert Stephens, A. D. Mc Coy, D. M. Cloud, Arthur Bumiller W. P. Jeffries, Russell Taylor, Clarence A. Miller, Joe Chanslor, H. C. Turne and Cleye.

and Clegg. Mrs. O. P. Posey's valentine party yesterday afternoon at her residence on Adams and Figueroa streets, in honor of her cousin, Mrs. William Balley, was one of the smartest affairs of the winter. The decorations, which were the handlwork of the hostess, were exceedingly artistic, everywhere carrying out the thought of Cupid's own day. In the hall, where Lowinsky's Orchestra was stationed, the winding stairway was wreathed with smilax, caught with swagger bows of two shades of violet ribbon, and heart-shaped valentines. ribbon, and heart-shaped valentines. Huge baskets and hearts of purple violets, white hyacinths and ferns, were arranged here and there, and about the doorways were garlands of smilax, bows of violet ribbon, and strings of heart-shaped valentines. In the beautiful Japanese drawing-room were quantities of pink carnations, pink satin ribbons, asparagus plumosus and pink valentines. The punch room, which was presided over by Mmes. Willoughby Rodman, E. H Moore and Adam Darling, was decorated in glowing scarlet. A huge heart of carnations edged with white hyacinths, clusters of carnations, festoons and knots of scarlet satin ribbon were arranged about the mantel, while about the chandelier and doorways were scarlet ribbons and valentines, relieved by the green of trailing smilax. Over the punch table was suspended a huge Japanese umbrella garlanded with smilax, Golden yellow was the color used in the dining-room, where Christopher served a recherché luncheon. Clusters of yellow marguerites, tied with large bows of yellow satin ribbons, exquisite embroideries over yellow silk, and cut-glass candelabra filled with yellow candles, decorated the table. The buffet was banked with marguerites, and from the chandelier to the four corners of the room were swung ropes of smilax from which were pendant alternate oranges and yellow valentines. The doorways were decorated in similar fashion, and the lights throughout the rooms were shaded to match the decorations. The guests were amused by guessing the number of pins in a handsome pincushion of yellow and white satin and lace, which was presided over by the Misses Nellie and Lizzle Houghton. Mrs. Posey wore a very elegant Felix gown of accordion-pleated Nile green silk, covered with black Brussels net heavily embroidered in jet. A diamond heart fastened the broad green sash, and the other ornaments were a pink sapphire neck-lace and brooch, which once belonged to the Empress Josephine, and a gorgeous butterfly of diamonds and emeralds. Mrs. Bailey was frocked in cream-white moire, garnitured with point lace and diamonds. Mrs. Van Gleson was in black satin, violet velvet and thread lace, with diamond ornaments. Among those who were there were:

Mesdames—Ira O. Smith,

B. W. R. Tayler,

Dan McFarland,

J. Ross Clark,

Charles Slient,

J. W. McKinley, rated in glowing scarlet. A heart of carnations edged with T. Jones, W. Hughes, W. McKinley

Morgan,
Felix C. Howes,
T. J. Knewing,
J. B. Gwynne,
W. L. Graves, W. L. Graves,
Babcock,
Hunt,
Frank Davis,
Cobleigh,
Wall,
L. K. Tuttle, Peterson,
Cowles,
G. D. Cadwalader,
William Friesner,
Mansfield,
T. A. Eisen,
J. J. Byrne,
Daggett. Margaret Hughes Butler,
W. R. Bourke,
Margaret Hobbs,
C. W. Blarsdell,
J. Houghton,
Peter Houghton,
Van Gleson,
L. W. Bilnn,
Price, A. Smith,

L. Folsom, Peniston, Lewis, Flora Howes, Ivy Schoder, Lou Winder.

The Mills Club was entertained at its regular monthly meeting yesterday afternoon by Miss Gerta Hatch. The members present were Mmes, J. M. Brooks, Weeks, McLean, Kelly and J. T. Cook. The other guests were Mmes. Matlock and Walton of Maryland, Mmes. J. C. Brown, Whelpley; the Misses Lilian Whelpley, Hazlett, Edna cisco. The feature of the afternoon was the guessing of illustrated songs, at which the first prize, a gold bonbon spoon, was won by Miss Tomblin, and the consolation, a mounted picture. consolation, a mounted picture of Cecilia, by Mrs. Kelly.

The usual afternoon meeting of the Current Topics Club took place Wednesday at the residence of Mrs. Kate T. Galpin. Miss Eugene Hobbs re-viewed Arctic expeditions, Miss Owens viewed Arctic expeditions, Miss Owens spoke on the advantages of the traveling library, and Miss Burkhead of the beneficial results of a life with nature Congressional news and European news were reported by Mrs. Thorpe and Miss Florence Pease. Mrs. and Miss Florence Pease. Mrs Sheckles spoke on literary topics, and a general discussion followed.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Walsh entertained at dinner last evening at their residence on East Adams street. The table was artistically decorated with carnations, ribbons and ferns, and the place cards were painted with designs of pink roses. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Newton, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Obear and Mr. and Mrs. William Potter.

Mrs. J. A. Osgood gave a de-lightfully informal reception yester-day afternoon to meet Mrs. Lee Lloyd of Ventura. Mmes. Fred Fay and of Ventura. Mmes. Fred Fay and Enderlein assisted in receiving, and the dining-room, where the Misses Zella and Cynthia Fay poured coffee and chocolate, was presided over by Mmes. J. S. Sampson, G. M. North, F. O. Wyman and R. W. Pridham. Several delightful recitations were given by Mrs. Rebecca Spring. The

uests, in addition to those already

J. M. Lee of Hollywood, Burton Williamson, S. L. Longstreth, M. W. Copps,

NOTES AND PERSONALS. Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Churchill gave dinner last evening at their resice on Figueroa street, in honor of

ishop Newman. Mrs. Nathan Blanchard, Jr., of Santa Mrs. Nathan Blanchard, Jr., of Santa-Paula is visiting friends in the city.
Mrs. A. T. Bell gave a birthday party last evening at her residence on South Hill street, in honor of Mr. Bell. About sixty guests were present, and were entertained with music, recitations and games.

George Eugene Miller of Spokane Falls is the guest of bis brother, Judge J. M. Miller of West Sixth street.

Mrs. H. M. Sale has issued invitations for a luncheon next Friday in honor of Mrs. Leslie Wilson of Chappewa Falls, Wis.

Wis.

A concert will be given by three little girls of Immanuel Sunday-school, at the residence of Mrs. H. J. Stocker, No. 1431 Vernon street, this evening, for the benefit of a foreign missionary fund.

PAILROAD RECORD.

#### IRON-LINED TUNNEL.

TRAFFIC RESUMED OVER THE SANTA FE LINE LAST NIGHT.

Danger of a Car Famine in Orange Shipments-Rate of Fare to Randsburg Reduced - Union

The Williams tunnel on the Santa Fé line was reopened last night. The tunnel is now said to be the best-timbered "hole through a hill" in the world. It is two feet higher and a foot wider than it was before the fire and all the new timbers are 12x12, and covered with galvanized

ron.
The cause of the second fire in the tunnel, which has all along been laid to spontaneous combustion, was discovered as the workmen reached the center of the hill. A lot of old timbers, which had been replaced, were left lying on the floor of the tunnel, and the sparks dropping among the smouldered, and at length started a fire which swept the tunnel from end to end. No such accident will be possible in the future, as the sparks from locomotives will be unable to lodge in the mbers. There is no danger of a car famine in the shipment of oranges east. Over a hundred cars a day are being moved, and there is a supply of cars in sight which could double the number, for a few days at least.

cars in sight which could double the number, for a few days at least. The passenger rate between Los An-geles and Johannesburg via the Santa Fé will be reduced to \$6.75 on Feb-ruary 15. This reduction is made in deference to the repeated requests of the merchants of Randsburg and Jo-hannesburg.

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J. H. Pearman, excursion manager, has been appointed passenger agent of the Union Pacific Raliroad Company at Los Angeles, vice E. E. Elser, resigned.

P. O. Prince has been appointed excursion manager of the Union Pacific line, with headquarters at Los Angeles in place of J. H. Pearman. Appointments took effect February 9.

A Raymond excursion of sixty-five people arrived from the East yesterday, and went to San Diego. The majority of the tourists will return here, where their journey ends.

#### MOB LEADERS ON TRIAL.

Preliminary Examination of the SHAWNEE (Okla.,) Feb. 10.-The reliminary hearing of P. Smith, W preliminary hearing of P. Smith, W. H. Davis and Ed Nix, charged with conspiracy to burn the Seminole In-

dians McGeisey and Sampson, has been

begun before Commissioner Galbraith. Nix is a nephew of ex-United States Marshal Nix and Davis is the editor of the Earlboro Plain People.

Among the eleven culprits who had previously been held for trial were two preachers, one a Methodist and the other a Baptist

defendants arraigned today re cused to waive examination, denying any complicity in the conspiracy, and demanded an immediate hearing Harry Brown, witness for the govern-ment, testified that two nights before the burning he, in company with four Seminole Indians, went to Leard's Seminole Indisons, went to Leard's house, where the young Indians were held, and demanded their surrender to the proper authorities. They were under guard of about fifty armed men, among whom he recognized the defendants. Fires had been built around the house and a patrol established. The mob denied Brown's request and ordered him off the premises.

J. M. Glover, a farmer living at Earl-boro, identified Smith as having said to him at Earlboro on the evening of the burning that some Indians were going to burn that night at Maud, and he was going soon.

#### WHY AND WHEREFORE,

I know not whence I came,
I know not whither I go,
But the fact stands clear
That I am here
In this world of pleasure and woe,
And out of the mist and murk
Another truth shines plain—
It is in my power
Each day and hour
To add to its joy or its pain,

I know that the earth exists,
It is none of my business why,
I cannot find out
What it's all about—
I would but waste time to try,
My life is a brief, brief thing;
I am here for a little space,
And while I stay
I would like, if I may,
To brighten and better the place,

The trouble, I think, with us all Is the lack of high conceit; If each man thought He was sent to the spot To make it a bit more sweet. How soon we could gladden the world. How easily right all wrong, If nobody shirked and each one worked

Cease wondering why you came;
Stop looking for faults and flaws
Rise up today
In your pride and say:
"I am part of the first great cause,
However full the world,
There is room for an earnest man:
It had need of me,
Or I would not be—
I am here to strengthen the plan."

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—IElla Wheeler Wilcox in Foram.

The advent of Mile. Renie de Veraine, a French sculptor of renown, adds another artist to the foreign colony already practicing their art in this country. Mile, de Veraine is the author of a statue of Jean Goujon, and of busts of many French statesmen.

New York is talking about a world's fair project for 1900 and something. It will be fun alive to observe Chicago as it lights onto that scheme and proceeds to swat it.

THE WEATHER YESTERDAY.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Feb. 10.—(Reported by George E. Franklin, Local Forecast Official.) At 5 o'clock a.m. the Local Forecast Official.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.10; at 5 p.m., 30.68. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 49 deg. and 62 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 57 per cent.; 5 p.m., 61 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., north, velocity 6 miles; 5 p.m., west velocity 5 miles. Maximum temperature, 69 deg.; minimum temperature, 69 deg.; minimum temperature, 43 deg. Barometer reduced to sea levet.

DRY BULB TEMPERATURE.

Los Angeles ..... 48 San Francisco .... San Diego ...... 46 Portland ....... San Diego ...... 46 Portland ...... 44

Weather Conditions.— The pressure
continues high over the mountain and plateau
regions, accompanied by cold weather. freezing temperatures being reported from Nevada
eastward. Light rains have fallen in Western eastward. Light rains have failen in Western Oregon and Washington in the past twenty-four hours. Fair, cool weather prevails in California, though the temperature has risen slightly. Light frost occurred this morning in the low grounds at Los Angeles.

Forecasts.—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair weather tonight and Fri-

WEATHER FORECAST: SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 10.—For Southern California: Fair Friday, with increasing cloudiness in the afternoon; westerly winds.

ALL ALONG THE LINE.

The San Francisco Bulletin thinks "The spectacles daily afforded by Fratricides Clark and Bellew weeping like children when discussing their horrible and cowardly crimes are calculated to make every self-respecting baby in the land swear off on tears for good."

"It would seem as though the newspapers of San Francisco really had more than enough home dirty dinen to wash, without bothering with the affairs of Los Angeles, the papers of which city are well able to handle their own affairs." So says the Fresno Expositor, and it would seem as though that particular newspaper really knows what it is talking about.

The San Jose Mercury rises up in defense of its orchards, and reminds people that: "If Santa Clara Valley was the first to suffer from the ravages of the Tasmania scale, so it was the first to find a remedy for it. That scale, erroneously called the San José scale, is no longer feared in this valley, as the growers had it under subjection long ago."

Wild conjecture is now indulged in by the Oakland Tribune: "If our city and county government plan goes through, Los Angeles will be at her wit's ends to know what to do to keep up with us. It will be almost a death blow to them down there, if, when the next census is taken, Oakland is shown to be the second city in the State." This is what the children do when they say "Let's play 's'posen."

The Berkeley Gazette grows nervous, as is evidenced by the following "While the question of municipal ownership of waterworks and the bonding of the city for the erection of a high school are on the tapis, there is another matter of greater moment than these. From my point of view the great question of the day is, what are we going to do with the squeaking windmill? or rather, what disposition shall we make of the owner of said mill? When an individual is aroused from his midnight slumbers by what he supposes to be cries of murder emanating from his neighbor's yard, rushes out in his night clothes armed with a tooth pick and lead pencil, with the expectation of finding a first-class killing in full blast, exposing his person to the inclemency of the weather, inviting death from influenza or some other pulmonary disease, only to learn that the whole trouble comes from a ing windmill that a bit's worth of oil would render docile for an entire year, we rise in the majesty of our citizenship, and declare that something ought to be done."

#### FEARS FOR ANDREE.

Ideut. Peary Does not Expect th Arctic Explorer to Return. [ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

CRIPPLE CREEK (Colo.,) Feb. 10.— Lieut. R. E. Peary has been the guest of Cripple Creek for several days. A committee of citizens escorted him through the mines of the district. Speaking of Andree's journey by bal-loon in search of the North Pole, Lieut. loon in search of the North Pole, Lieut. Peary expressed grave apprehensions for Andree's safe return. He is of the opinion that even if Andree should succeed in landing on the ice in the Arctic region, he would experience great diculty in again gaining control of his balloon so as to continue toward the North or return home. Lieut. Peary thinks that the chances are very meager for Andree ever again to reach land should he descend into the sea, a fate that he fears has already overtaken the courageous explorer.

Lieut. Peary leaves for San Francisco today. He intends to start in July for the polar regions.

Federal Court Notes.

L. Rogers, on motion of Assistant United States District Attorney Finlay-

United States District Attorney Finlayson, was admitted to practice law in the Federal District Court yesterday by Judge Wellborn.

Edward P. Bosbyshell, the defaulting Federal grand juryman, for whom an attachment was issued, appeared before Judge Wellborn yesterday with so good an excuse for his absence that the Judge was satisfied and discharged him without even a caution.

The appeal of the case of Lung Dick Toy was before Judge Wellborn yesterday, and testimony of witnesses for the government was heard. The case was then adjourned until March 9. Some time ago. Toy was found guilty of being unlawfully in the country, and was ordered deported by United States Commissioner Owen, hence the appeal.

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SUNDAY-CLOSING CASES.

DEFENDANTS.

Trial of the Cases Put Off as Long as Possible as Conviction May Result in Revocation of License. Only One Culprit Pleads Guilty

A number of Sunday-closing cases came up before Justices Owens and Morrison yesterday, and, as was to be expected, a play was made for time in most instances, the object being, no doubt, to wear out the prosecution by endless delay. Under the Sunday-closing ordinance the Police Commission may revoke the license of any saloon-keeper found guilty of violat-ing its provisions. The desire for delay in trying the cases is, therefore, apparent, as the longer they can stave off conviction the longer the violators of the ordinance are cock sure of being able to continue business.

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Of the dozen or more saloon men arraigned thus far as the result of the recently-inaugurated crusade against the Sunday liquor traffic, only one has pleaded guilty and expressed a desire to take his medicine and have done with the business with as little delay as possible. This defendant is Harry Wiggins, barkeeper at the Van Nuys. He appeared before Justice Owens yesterday afternoon, and through his attorney, Clarence A. Miller, pleaded guilty. He was ready for sentence forthwith, but the proposal was so sudden that Justice Owens begged leave for twenty-four hours to consider. As the court has the right to suit its own convenience in such matters, sentence was deferred till 2 o'clock today.

Attorney W. J. Murphy appeared for Henry Timm, barkeeper at the 200 Saloon, East First street, and filed a demurrer to the complaint, based on the question of the jurisdiction of the Police Court and technical grounds. Justice Owens promptly overruled the demurred and entered an exception. Mr. Murphy then pleaded not guilty for his client, and demanded a jury trial, which he asked to go over till some time next month. Deputy District Attorney J. H. Krumminger appeared for S. Sciever and Fred Hoppe, barkeeper and proprietor, respectively, of the Pabst Saloon, corner of Spring and Sixth streets, and asked that his clients be given more time to plead, as he (the attorney) was sick and unable to defend them at present. A continuance was accordingly granted till February 17. Mr. Hoppe is the defendant who is alleged to have been advised not to plead guilty by a high City Hall official, if he wished to avoid the revocation of his license. It is probable, therefore, that Mr. Hoppe will fight the case for all he is worth. When the case of C. H. Burchard was called, a doctor's certificate was produced to show that the defendant was too iil to appear in court. His case was, therefore, continued till February 17, at 2 p.m. Buchard keeps the Glencoe at No. 324 South

ruary 11, at 2 p.m. Buchard keeps the Glencoe at No. 324 South Main street.

Ex-Police Judge Austin appeared as counsel for C. S. Compton, who presides at the Presidio saloon at Sixth and Spring streets. Judge Austin entered a plea of not guilty for his client, and had the trial set for March 9. Although not waiving a jury, the attorney said he would probably do so.

Ah Jack, a Celestial who does chores at The Whisper, Al Levy's bar on Third street, was jacked up for being so thoughtless as to sell a drink to Special Policeman J. C. Gorman on the holy Sabbath day. Mr. Levy entered a plea of not guilty for his scullion, and had the trial set for February 24 at 9:30 a.m., a jury being demanded.

James T. Madison, a barkeeper at the Turnverein saloon, was arraigned before Justice Morrison for plying his vocation during prohibited hours. He pleaded not guilty, waived a jury, and had his trial set for February 14 at 2 p.m.

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E. Castellano of the saloon at No. 517
North Main street, was to have been tried before Justice Morrison at 3 o'clock, but his counsel, Louis Gottschalk, appeared at that hour and demanded that trial be by jury. The request was granted, and the case went over till February 18 at 9:30 a.m.
The cases of John Haley and L. E. Mittendorf went over till Saturday at 1:30 p.m., to plead.

RAILWAY MAIL SERVICE.

Order Issued by the Postoffice De-partment—Recent Pensions. [SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.] WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.— Railroad postoffice service was today ordered established on the line of the Southern Pacific Company to be performed on trains 30 and 31 between Goshen and Alcalde, California, a distance of sixty miles.

Pensions were granted to citizens of California today as follows: Original - Balthasar Niderost, San Francisco, \$6; James A. Andres, Oak-land, \$6; Alfred M. Aplin, East High-lands, \$8; Robert Thompson, Sacra-mento, \$12. Original widow, etc.-Lucy J. Sutton

Oakland, \$8. Silas Ruggles of Prescott, Arizon was granted an original pension toda

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE. Annual Meeting to Be Held Toda

The annual meeting of the members of the Chamber of Commerce will be held in the assembly room of the chamber at 3 o'clock this afternoon, and the president of the organization and the chairmen of the different com-mittees will make their reports. These reports will cover the work done dur ing the past fiscal year, and also make recommendations for carrying on the work in the future. The president de-sires all who are interested in the work of the chamber to be present.

RELEASED ON BAIL.

Leme Liberated from the County Jail to Get Well.

Lum Leme, the sick Chinaman, who has been in the County Jail for some time, and who could not be removed to the hospital because he was a Federal prisoner, was yesterday admitted to bail in the sum of \$500. He was taken charge of by his friends, who will see to it that he is speedily relieved of the little devils which he positively declares fill his stomach and cause

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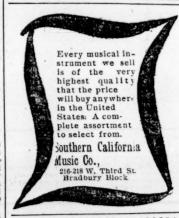
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Sale price \$1.50. Regular price \$2.50. Ladies' Black Grosgrain Silk Shades, double ruffles, Sale price \$2.00. Regular price \$3.00. Ladies' Star Top Ruffle, Milanaise Silk-lined,

Sale price \$1.25. Regular price \$2.00.

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# The Fraternal Field.

ENTALPHA LODGE, No. 202, onferred the Fellowcraft degree Tuesday night. Southern California Lodge, No. 278, conferred the aster Mason degree Wednesday nigh d the Entered Apprentice degree lass ght. Valle-de France Lodge, No. 329 ill confer the Entered Apprentice de-ce tonight. South Gate Lodge, No.

20, will confer the Master Mason de-gree tonight. Signet Chapter, No. 57, R.A.M., has ork every Monday night this month, neluding with the conferring of the wal Arch degree on the night of the

Los Angeles Commandery, No. 9, K. T., conferred the Order of the Temple st night, and will confer the same or-

ast night, and will confer the same orler next Thursday night.
The officers of Al Malaikah Temple,
A and A.O. Nobles of the Mystic Shrine,
will meet for practice this evening,
oreparatory to conferring the work on
a large class of novices on the evening
of the 25th.

Silas F. Collinworth of Bellingham
Bay Lodge, No. 44, of Whatcomb,
Wash, who died in this city last Frilay, was burled Sunday under the ausplees of Los Angeles Lodge, No. 42,
Sunday afternoon.

ces of Los Angeles Louge, No. 12, mday afternoon.
There will be ten candidates for the 1st Master degree at Signet Chapter, A.M., next Monday night, and eleven r the Most Excellent degree on the

Hollenbeck Logge, No. 31, 1981, 1981, 1981, 1981, 1982

Order of the Eastern Star.

CACIA CHAPTER, No. 21, initiated a number of members at the last meeting, and entertained a large umber of visiting members, among momwas Sister Black from the North, en route to India to institute a chapter of the order there. She will sail next Saturday.

GOOD WILL LODGE, No. 323, con-ferred the third degree last night. The funeral of Theodore Bement, who died in the city on Monday, was eld Wednesday afternoon under the aspices of the Odd Fellows' Board

of Relief.

The members of Golden Rule Lodge.

No. 180, officiated at the funeral of Fred Voss, a member of that lodge, Wednesday afternoon. The deceased was nearly 74 years of age at the time of his death, which occurred Monday.

The flag on the Odd Fellow's Block was placed at half-mast Wednesday was placed at half-mast Wednesday.

was placed at half-mast Wednesday as a mark of respect to the two mem-bers whose funerals occurred in the

Ders whose funerals occurred in the afternoon.

Semi-Tropic Lodge, No. 371, conferred the initiatory and third degrees Tuesday night, and will confer the first and second degrees next Tuesday night.

Los Angeles Lodge, No. 35, will have work in the second and third degrees next Wednesday night.

Golden Rule Lodge, No. 160, will entertain the Ladies of Columbia Rebekah Lodge, No. 194, next Monday night.

The Rebekahs,

THERE was a goodly attendance of the members of Arbor Vitae Lodge, No. 83, at the funeral of Dr. J. E. LaForce, which was held at the T.O.F. Temple Tuesday afternoon.

Arbor Vitae Lodge, No. 83, had initiatory work Tuesday night, and Una, No. 172, Wednesday night, Columbia Lodge, No. 194, indulged in a drill Monday night. This lodge is arranging for an entertainment for the Orphans' Home on the night of April 26.

April 26.

Past State President Fannie Benjamin will officiate at the institution of a new lodge at San Fernando next Thursday night. She will be assisted by the drill corps of Columbia Lodge. No. 194. The lodge will start with about forty charter members.

A new lodge is being worked up at Anahelm, and will probably be instituted soon with a good membership.

Knights of Pythias.

OS ANGELES LODGE, No. 205, was favored with a visit from Past Grand Chancellor Dawson of Colorado last Friday night, who gave an address on the growth of the or-

At Gauntlet Lodge Monday night G

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Stoesak, Secretary of Branch No. 893, of the Endowment Rank, gave a summary of the past quarter's successful business. On January 1 this branch had 51,478 members, and \$96,675,500 endowment in force.

Dr. T. J. McCarly of Gauntlet Lodge, No. 129, who has been sick for some weeks at the Sisters' Hospital, has so far recovered as to be about the grounds a little each day.

Samson Lodge, No. 148, conferred the rank of Esquire Monday night, and will confer the ranks of Page and Knight next Monday. On Tuesday night following the lodge will give a stag social to members and friends of the order.

The following committee has been appointed to arrange for the celebration of the anniversary of the founding of the order, on the night of the 19th: D. J. Cooper, H. A. Bourn, Gauntlet, No. 129; F. M. Nickell, Dr. Garson, Samson, No. 148; A. H. S. Perkins, B. Gordan, Marathon, No. 129; L. R. Hewitt, Dr. Montgomery, Los Angeles, No. 205; O. S. Ihrig, W. L. Bright, Los Angeles Company, No. 25, Uniform Rank. The programme has not yet been fully arranged, but will include public installation and inspection of the Los Angeles Company, Uniform Rank, in charge of Mai. C. O. Alkire of Riverside, an address by Mayor M. P. Snyder, music and other interesting features.

Santa Monica Company, No. 21, Uniform Rank, is arranging for a ball at the Arcadia next Tuesday night.

Santa Monica Company, No. 21, Unitorm Rank, is arranging for a ball at the Arcadia next Tuesday night. Capt. G. S. Adolph visited this company, and also Santa Monica Lodge Wednesday night, and reports much interest in both bodies.

The installation of officers and inspections of companies of the Uniform Rank in this vicinity will be as follows: Redlands Company, No. 28, by Col. H. R. Arndt of San Diego, on the 24th; Santa Monica Company, No. 21, by Maj. J. A. Lukens, on the 21st; Chevalier Company, No. 6. San Diego, by Maj. J. G. Scarborough, on the 19th; same officer will also officiate for Riverside Company, No. 30, on the 24d, and for Pasadena Company, No. 20, on the 24th; Maj. C. O. Alkire will officiate for Los Angeles Company, No. 25, on the 19th, and for Damon Company, No. 37, of Santa Ana on the 19th,

team from Colton Lodge, ! No.

137, visited Valley Lodge, No. 27, at San Bernardino and conferred the amplified Knight rank Tuesday, being accompanied by the members of the new Highland Lodge, No. 210.

Knights of the Maccabets,

Santa and tent macabers,

Santa and tent installed officers Monday night, with Past Commander F. L. Mitchell officiating as installing officer.

Los Angeles Tent, No. 2, received

eight applications, elected twelve and initiated two Wednesday night. The next entertainment to be given by this tent will occur on the night of the 23d, the attendance to be limited to holders of tickets.

of lickets.

Banner Tent, No. 21, received twelve applications and initiated five candidates Tuesday night.

Deputy Supreme Commander Henry, who has been working at Redondo, has received thirty applications for membership to that tent, who will probably be initiated at one time, and the degree team of Banner Tent, No. 2, expects to go down and confer the work.

Schubert's Symphony Company has Schubert's Symphony Company has been engaged to give an entertainment for the benefit of Pasadena Tent, No. 1, next Thursday night. A number will attend from this city.

Native Sons of the Golden West.

JPON the visit to Corona Parlor, No. 196, of Grand Trustee Byington last week, the ritualistic work was exemplified, and a banquet followed, exemplified, and a banquet followed, attended with music and toasts, with W. T. Craig as toastmaster. Corona Parlor has issued a neat folder to its members, containing the itineray of the social functions which that parlor contemplates having, and which includes the following: March I, ladies' night and dancing; April 12, an evening at whist; May I, May-day pienic: June 3, moonlight trolley party and dance at Santa Monica. The committee in charge of the affairs is composed of M. S. Mendelsohn, Dr. D. W. Edelman, George W. Lichtenberger, L. S. Nordlinger and Eugene Roth. At the meeting of Redlands Parlor Monday night, Grand Trustees Byington and Sabichi were present, and among the feature was the installation of the new officers of the parlor. At the meeting of Los Angeles Parlor, No. 24, Wednesday night resolutions of condolence to T. G. Nichols upon the death of his father were passed. attended with music and toasts, with

Committees have been appointed by Ramona and Los Angeles parlors to look up new quarters for those two bodies.

Order of Chosen Friends.

C UARDIAN COUNCIL, No. 90, ini-U tiated several new members last Friday night, and indulged in a musical and literary entertainment. This council will confer the degrees on several candidates this evening, when a pleasing programme will be ren-

dered.

The funeral of Friend Brice of Guardian Council, No. 90, was held yesterday afternoon under the auspices of that council.

Ancient Order United Workmen. Since May, 1897 twenty new Degree of Honor lodges have been instituted, of which nine were insti-

tuted, of which nine were instituted during the past January

A new Degree of Honor lodge was
instituted last night at Bakersfield.
Six new members were initiated in
Covina lodge last week, and that lodge
expected a number more last night.
Grand Foreman A. F. Mackey visited
the lodge last week.

Pomona lodge initiated a large class
of new candidates Tuesday night, on
the occasion of Grand Foreman Mackey's visit thereto.

L. M. Powers was elected as a delegate from St. Elmo Lodge No. 238 to
the Grand Lodge. St. Elmo Lodge is
preparing for a ball on the 16th.
Southern California Lodge No. 191 received six applications last night.
Los Angeles Lodge No. 55 received a
number of applications Wednesday
night, and the members feel confident
of increasing the membership by the

night, and the members feel confident of increasing the membership by the addition of 150 before April 1. W. F. Ryan has been elected Grand Lodge delegate from Pasadena Lodge No. 151.

No. 151. University Lodge No. 304 is making preparations for a dance on the night f the 22d. Dr. LaForce, who died in this city last Sunday, was a member of a lodge in Montana.

Independent Order of Foresters. T IS now about an assured fact that the session of the Supreme Court of 1899 will be held in Los Angeles. The session of 1898 would in all probability held here, but from the fact that was deemed advisable to hold it at onto, that the delegates from acros Atlantic had a desire to behold magnificent temple in Toronto, and eferring to their wishes the session his year will be held therein. The session of 1899 will bring to Los Angeles ne of the largest and most intelligent ody of people this city has had the leasure of entertaining in many years comprising, members of the poblitis 467, was elected secretary, and orge Rheinschild of Court Semipic, No. 1442, as treasurer. A unce committee was elected as fols: E. E. Wilson, La Fiesta, No. 886; M. King of Temple, No. 510, and J. Musselman of Palmetto, No. 3345; C. Committee of Ways and Means of Committee of Marteo, No. 3343; C. H. thay of Morris Vineyard, No. 532, the Means of Marteo, No. 3343; C. H. thay of Morris Vineyard, No. 512, the Court, and the visitations will mence with Court Palmetto, No. 5, next Wednesday night, Other its planned include Court Mateo, No. 5, on March 2, and Court Angelina, 3122, on March 16. Later a huge resters' picnic will be arranged for the board, to be held at one of the ches.

of the board, to be neid at one of the beaches.

The funeral of Dr. J. E. LaForce of Court Los Angeles, No. 422, who died ast Sunday, was held at the L.O.F. Pemple Tuesday afternoon under the tuspices of that court.

The Independent Forester of Toronto, he official organ of the order, appears with a new, appropriate and original title page, hearing a picture of the lew Foresters' Temple in Toronto.

During 1897 the medical board examned 37,168 applicants, an average of 1997 per month, and 119, per working lay.

The surplus fund January 1 was \$2,-8,832.78. According to the last report Califor-

has taken up his residence in Tucson, Ariz.

High Chief-Ranger G. A. \*\*CElfresh will leave for his tour of official visits in the northern part of the State next Monday, and will be absent until April. He will be tendered a reception at San Francisco next Tuesday night, and the Board of District Deputies of that city has arranged a week of interesting meetings during his stay there.

The following new courts are reported at High Court headquarters: Court San Juan at San Juan, Instituted January 27 by F. W. Blake, D. S.C.R., of Gilroy; Court Grizzly, Instituted at Berkeley, February 1, by E. A. Mack and E. H. Blekford; Court Confidence, at Stockton February 3, by F. W. Chapman and E. A. Mack.

Companions of the I.O.F.

NTEREST in this auxiliary of the ues unabated; in fact, it is steadily endent Order of Foresters con-ng. Up to date eighty courts which is Court Los Angeles, No. which now has a membership of about eighty. So many applications are he-ing made for authority to institute courts that the Chief has been obliged o decline commissioning some of them

Foresters of America.

THE funeral of A. Cordano of Court Sunset, No. 68, was held Wednesday afternoon under the auspices of that

30, has been called for this elect a Recording Secretary. I Committee has arranged for om a temple of the Princes of

from a temple of the Princes of ient at the close of the session, the degree will be conferred on a number of pilgrims. officers of the court at Ana-were installed by Grand Senior Weldon Wednesday night. he meeting and reorganization of and Relief Board last Sunday the long officers were elected: Presithe Grand Kellef Board last Sunday the following officers were elected: President, M. R. Orsatti, Corte Danti Alighteri, No. 139; Vice-resident, J. Hamilton, Court Olive, No. 39; Treasurer, J. Viole, Court Francaise, No. 97; Secretry, Max Roth, Court Olive, No. 39; Finance Committee, H. L. Lindsey, F. Hoppe, F. Watton; Funeral Committee, J. Hamilton, J. W. Fuentes, U. G. Augustine.

Companions of the Forest.

GRAND CHIEF COMPANION MRS.
HARRINGTON of San Francisco,
who is making her tour of official
visitátions, was present-with Laurel
Circle, No. 109, Wednesday night, which Circle, No. 109, Wednesday night, which event was made the occasion of an interesting meeting by the members of the circle. Addresses were delivered by Mrs. Harrington and J. H. Krimminger, and other interesting features made up an evening of enjoyment, concluding with a ball. The Grand Chief Companion visited Santa Asaa Circle Monlay night and Santa Barbara Circle Tuesday night. She goes from here to San Diego.

Grand Army of the Republic.

BEAR VALLEY POST and Woman's Relief Corps of Redlands will have an appropriate observance of Lincoln's birthday in that city this even-

The semi-monthly meeting of the Bartlett-Logan Harmonia Society was beld on the 3d at the residence of Mrs. F. A. Werth, No. 916 South Broadway, a large attendance being present. After lunch Mrs. Fraeling and Miss Morgan rendered several selections, and the officers for the ensuing term were elected. Among those present were the following: Mmcs. Greenleaf, Kirkbridge, Van Horne, Werth, Wilder, Marsh, Morgan, Glaze, Ledgerwood, Battieger, Dodd, Hodgman, Senot, Barker, Hunheuser, Dr. Connett, Cline, Robinson, McKnight, Walsh, Defuer, Beegner, Fruhling, Bouton, Baer, Miss Morgan.

John A. Godfrey W.R.C. of Pasadena

John A. Godfrey W.R.C. of Pasadena entertained Past Department Officers Mmes. Wheeler and Mussey of this city Wednesday night, and last night visited a surprise on Godfrey Post.

Kenesaw Thimble Bee held its first meeting for 1898 with the President, Annette E. Munsey, at No. 1200 Downey avenue, the last Friday in January, for reorganizing. Jennie Douglas was elected President; Rena Arms, Vice-President; Mary M. Week, Secretary; Emma Samborn, Treasurer; Mrs. Kas-Royal Arcanum. M. Week, Secretary; Treasurer; Mrs. Kas- Royal Arcanum. passed in planing for the year and in what lines to work. Before serving tea, Mrs. Dougles presented Miss Helen A. Meigs, the retiring President, with a gold pin from the ladies of the corps. Stanton W.R.C., No. 16, at its meeting last Friday, in accordance with the new ritual, elected the following additional officers as Color-bearers: Mrs. Ellen Clears, No. 1; Mrs. Fannie Monroe, No. 2; Mrs. May Utterbach, No. 3; Miss Esther Skinner, No. 4. Today the thimble party meets with Mrs. Maude Burdick, Pico Heights. This evening there will be an open meeting of post and corps at Bixby Hall, with a Lincoln programme. Bishop McCabe is expected to be present.

The ladies of the Bartlett Logan Harmonia Society will hold their next meeting at the residence of Mrs. Kukbride, No. 326 North Hill street, next Wednesday.

The Bartlett-Logan W.R.C. will give a social dance in Elks' Hall, No. 252½ South Main street, February 26. what lines to work. Before serving tea,

Princes of the Orient.

THE newly-organized East Los Angeles Castle conferred the degree for the first time last night upon twenty-three applicants. A number of amusing and up-to-date features were

introduced.

A special train brought a large number of novices from San Pedro, Long Beach and Fullerton to the city on Thursday of last week to obtain an insight into the intricacies of the weird degree at the hands of Los Angeles Temple, No. 422, Grand Order of the Orient. The ceremonies were followed by refreshments.

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El Melakiah Temple, Princes of the Orient, No. 880, will assist a large class of pilgrims across the burning sands at Foresters' Hall, No. 107½ North Main street, this evening.

M ERRILL LODGE, No. 299, had a public installation of officers last Monday evening, with Lodge Deputy A. C. F. Dee officiating.

Santa Monica Lodge, No. 292, installed Santa Monica Lodge, No. 292, installed the following officers last Tuesday evening: P.C.J., Eugene Schuckles; C. J., Fred Hart: V.T., Miss B. Rose; S. J.T., H. S. Hübbard: R.S., B. Balsley; A.R.S., Kate Milles; C. Mrs. S. W. Miller; F. S., Mable Miller; Treasurer, Thomes McP. Gough; Marshall, W. F. Johnson; D.M., M. L. Koster; Guard, E. Koster; Sentinel, N. P. Bundy, Rivera Ledge, No. 224, elected the following officers last Saturday evening: P.C.T., Mamie Burke; C.T., Will E. White; V.T., Edith White; S.J.T., W. S. Dorman; R.S., Fred Groton; A.R.S., Clara Wood; M., J. B. Reynolds; F.S., Ed Wood; Treasurer, Belle Ellis; Guard, Emelita Abbott; Sentinel, J. L. Russell.

Tha Los Angeles County District

nia had the fifth largest membership in the world, and the third largest increase.

On account of the weather the dance of Los Angeles Encampment, No. 17, Royal Foresters, was postponed until, the 21st.

A. Orfila of Court Angelina, No. 3422, has taken up his residence in Tucson, Ariz.

Redondo Lodge, No. 11, elected the following officers for the ensuing quarterly session on February 22 at 10 a.m. in Caledonian Hall, No. 119½ South Spring street. It is expected that the reports of the officers will be very gratifying and will show a marked in the county.

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Redondo Lodge, No. II, elected the following officers for the ensuing quarter: C.T., Harry Cuelman; V.T., Emme Wilkinson; R.S., J. H., Fatman; A.R.S., John Russell; F.S., Arthur Asderson; Treasurer, Carl Dolan; Marshal, Riche Clarke; D.M., Maud Smith; Guard Clara Abbott; Sentinel, Homer Spencer During the last quarter five new lodges have been instituted in the county.

Woodmen of the World.

L A FIESTA CAMP NO. 63 is receiving a large number of applications and expects to initiate three candidates next Monday night. This camp is making preparations for a concert on the airchard Monday night. concert on the night of March 7th.

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Los Angeles Camp No. 402 received nine new applications last week and a number more last night. The crack team of Pasadena camp will pay this camp a visit and initiate the candidates at an early date.

The new rituals of the order have arrived in this city and the officers of the local camps are perfecting themselves therein. By a recent ruling all candidates must now receive the fall work, simply administering the obligation no longer being allowed.

Frank Dresser of Lo Flesta Camp is ill and is being cared for by the memill and is being cared for by the ment bers of the S. and F.B.D.

The Fraternal Brotherhood.

A T the late session of the Supreme Lodge it was decided to commence the publication of an official organ for the order, and since that time arrangements have been perfected

arrangements have been perfected whereby the first number will appear soon. It will be an eightpage paper, printed on a fine quality of book paper and will rank with the best publications of its class in the country. The editorship of the paper has been assigned to A. H. S. Perkins, one of the Supreme officers. H. B. Brunson, D.S.P., instituted a new lodge at Randsburg with a good membership on Wednesday night. His lodge will be tendered a reception by the mombers of La Grande Lodge No. 9 this evening at T. F. B. Hall, among the features of which will be music, refreshments, dancing, cards and addresses by Supreme Secretary Bartholomew and Geo. B. Keefer, President of La Grande Lodge.

Five candidates were initiated in La Grande Lodge No. 9 last Friday night.

Five candidates were initiated in La Grande Lodge No. 24 is preparing for an entertainment and ball on the evening of March 10th.

C. J. Dimond, D.S.P., is putting in two weeks at Riverside and Corona, and meeting with good success in the accession of new members.

Arcade Lodge No. 3 had initiatory work Wednesday night.

Mrs. Emma Rice Neidig, the newly-elected Supreme Vice-Picsident, will return from her eastern trip next week, and immediately assume the supervision of the ladies' department of the order. She has severed her connection as an official of the Ladies' of the Maccabees, in which order she enjoyed the honor of having occupied the second highest office in its gift.

East Los Angeles Lodge, No. 11, initiated thirteen candidates and received seven applications last night. Supreme Secretary Bartholomew was present and exemplified the work.

Junior Order U.A.M. S TATE Councilor will pay another visit to this city next month and at the same time take occasion to pay official visits to San Diego, Redlands,

official visits to San Diego, Redlands, Redondo, Santa Barbara, and other places. He delivered an address before Gateway council at Newcastle Tuesday night.

Special Organizer Terry, has lately instituted a council at Palo Alto, to be known as Old Glory. He is now engaged in organizing councils at San Mateo and Haywards.

W. S. Reddington of Union Council, No. 5, was among the number who departed for the Klondike country this weea.

Emma Sanborn, Treasurer; Mrs. Kaster and Mrs. Basworth, Purchasing Committee; Mesdames McGraw, Caffin, Moore, Morrison and McKeag, Committee on Work. A social afternoon was passed in planing for the year and in itiated. Orator H. Zander will give a committee of the planing for the year and in the year lecture. On the night of Feb. 21st this

itiated. Orator H. Zander will give a lecture. On the night of Feb. 21st this council will give an entertainment in honor of Supreme Warden T. A. Parrish and wife. A musical and literary program of unusual excellence has been prepared for the occasion.

The members of Los Angeles Council are working hard for new members, judging from the number of applications received lately. The membership has passed the 200 mark, making it the banner council of the State. The meeting last evening was well attended, and much interest was shown in the proposed new bylaws, establishing an increased sick benefit.

The "Grand Council Jubilee smoker," to be given jointly by Sunset and Los Angeles councils next Thursday evening, is looked forward to with great interest by the workers. It is hoped that every member of the order in the city will be present with at least two nonmember friends. Delegations from all Southern California sister councils have signified their intention of being present.

Supreme Warden T. A. Parlsh is at Riverside, where a new council is you to be instituted.

State Medical Examiner William Brill of this city reports a substantial growth of the order all over the State.

Secretary Davidson is meeting with flattering success as an organizer, having received twelve applications during

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Knights and Ladies of Honor.

B. CARLETON, Grand Secretary, has returned from the East, and has made arrangements which will enable him to remain and conduct the publication of the main and conduct the publication of the official organ in

the publication of the official organ in San Francisco.

A new lodge is about to be instituted in San Francisco, and next month a German lodge will be instituted in Sacramento.

One assessment has been called for February, the money collected from which will leave a surplus for March of \$26,000. During the past year the order has paid out for death claims to beneficiaries the sum of \$1,191,590, during which time sixteen assessments were levied, two less than during the previous year.

A very complete and comprehensive handbook of the order has been issued by Supreme Secretary Harvey.

DEATH claims amounting to \$24,000 were paid in California during December and January.

In a letter to Grand Secretary Burth White; S.J.T.,
, Fred Groton;
M., J. B. ReyVood; Treasurer,
Emelita Abbott;
ell.

County District

The letter to Grand Secretary Button, Supreme Commander Downes
states that during December 151 new
members were admitted and 139 more
were passed by the Supreme Medical
Examiner, and the returns for January show an additional increase. Six

Francisco, which will be instituted at an early day.

Montgomery Council, No. 473, will hold no meeting next Monday night, but will give a ball instead. On the night of February 21 Deputy State President Dillon will pay an official visit to the council.

Montgomery Council attended services at the Sacred Heart Church in a body last Sunday night.

United Ancient Order of Druids, DEPUTY SUPREME ARCH JOHN HUTTON instituted El Dorado Circle, an auxiliary of the order, at San Francisco last week, with sixty charter members.

The three groves of this city are all The three groves of this city are all in a prosperous condition and receiving new members every month.

The San Francisco groves are congratulating themselves that for the first time in a year the General Relief Committee has no sick brothers to look after.

Order of Pendo.

THE Supreme Council met in fourth annual session at San Francisco on the 3d, with a good representation present. The annual reports of the offi-cers showed an increase of twenty-seven councils during 1897, with an inseven councils during 1897, with an increase of 1000 members. Three deaths occurred, and the sum of \$4440 was paid in funeral, sick and pension benefits. The free-doctor and free-medicine clause was repealed, and half-rate certificates adopted. The representation system was changed so as to allow each subordinate council representation at the Supreme Council sessions. The following officers were elected and installed: A. J. Colby, Past Supreme Councilor; H. W. Mathews, Supreme Councilor; Dr. T. B. Moore, Supreme Vice-Councilor; Ernest Duden, Supreme Secretary (reëlected;) D. S. Stanley, Supreme Treasurer (reelected;) Dr. R. E. Bunker, Supreme Medical Director (reëlected;) D. N. Place, Supreme Chaplain; John Berkin, Supreme Guide; T. Wilson, Supreme Warden; Arthur Fortier, Supreme Sentinel (reëlected;) P. A. McPherson, Supreme Organizer.

OS ANGELES LODGE, No. 99, held an interesting meeting Wednesday night, and a number of visiting brothers were present, among whom were J. S. Crossen of Dalles, Or.; W. Ferguson of Pendleton, Or., and F. Hinckley of Grand Rapids, Mich. Hinckley of Grand Rapids, Mich. The last lodge, by the way, is the largest in the United States, with 700 members, and the interior fittings of the lodgeroom cost \$13,000. Next Wednesday night a class of five candidates from Ventura and Riverside will be initiated, and a few from this city, and as the initiates are all prominent citizens, a very enjoyable occasion, with the customary "high jinks," is expected. The contemplated social of this lodge will probably occur on the night of March 2, and promises to be one of the most originally-unique affairs ever given in this city.

Angel City Court, No. 579, Catholic Order of Foresters, expects to have three candidates for initiation next

Sunday.

Mt. Pleasant Council, No. 147, Fraternal Aid Association, were to have had several initiations last night, the work being done by the uniformed team of that council.

J. Bliman and Dr. C. Edgar Smith, as deputies, are endeavoring to establish a lodge of the Royal Fraternity in this city.

LETTERS TO THE TIMES.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Feb. 8, 1898.—
(To the Editor of The Times:)
(I greatly regret the probable abandonment of this year's Fiesta, due to the declination of the railroad com panies to subscribe for the same. Said companies, of course, have a perfect right to conduct their own business in their own way, and their refusal to subscribe is purely a matter of their own business judgment. But why should this refusal constitute a sufficient reason for abandoning the Fiesta without a thorough attempt to supply the deficiency from other sources? For one, I feel that the Fiesta is a public benefit, aside from the excesses from benefit, aside from the excesses from the Maskers' night. Public amusements rightly conducted are helpful to good public morals, in fact, public amusements are necessities in great cities and should be furnished to all the public under wise limitations. The Fiesta is our great public amusement and aside from its representative character, its advertising value, or mercantile advantage, it is of great value to the great mass of the people in the city as a public entertainment by general good fellowship, relaxation from ordinary occupations and the common civic pride mingled in most beneficial proportions. To me the Fiesta whistle blown by the lungs of our lusty young Angeleños in troops of thousands is a most joyful if not harmonious sound. Why not first give to all the people in this city a chance to give their dollar for the Fiesta? Open The Times for a dollar column, and let us have 3:60 names from people who can give only the one dollar. Let the neole themselves come forward and make up the railroad deficiency. This city can have the Fiesta for the saying so, and the dollar to back up the say. Let us not paint out this bright season in our municipal calendar with the dull color of acknowledged inability before we put the entire community to the practical test. Yours truly,

JOHN GRAY.

Rector of St. Paul's Church. the Maskers' night. Public amus

Improved Seventy Per Cent.

SOLDIERS' HOME (Los Angeles county,) Feb. 8.—[To the Editor of The Fimes:] As to the controversy during Times:] As to the controversy during the past two weeks concerning the Solidiers' Home, I respectfully request leave to make a few statements as to the good and the bad management of the home. Since Gov. Smith came to the home the discipline has improved at least 50 per cent. Evil-doers are punished as they deserve, and good men can live in peace. The quality, quantity and preparation of our food has been improved at least 40 per cent. The barracks are in much better condition as to cleanliness; by hard work

new councils were instituted during December, making seventeen during the past year the order paid out \$1,983,500\$. The amount of assessments at this time aggregates more than the current death losses. The emergency fund is free from all debt and amounts to \$539,479\$.

Improved Order of Red Men.

C OCOPAH TRIBE, No. 81, conferred the Chief's degree last Friday night. Among the visitors present were Thomas Thomas of Massachusetts and others from Portland, Colorado and Arizona.

F. R. Bass of Montezuma Tribe, No. 77, of San Francisco, who has been under the care of Cocopah Tribe for the past few weeks, has been declared off the sick list, but the tribe is still looking after a number of other sick brothers.

Young Men's Institute.

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FORTY names were secured last week for a new council in San Francisco, which will be instituted at an early day.

Montgomery Council, No. 473, will hold no meeting next Monday night, but will give a ball instead. On the night of February 21 Deputy State President Dillon will pay an official visit to the council attended serv-

about.

In order to correct misstatements made as to towels, I will say that each ward of thirty-five men is furnished with two clean towels every day, which are as many as can be supplied with the money available for that purpose. The statement that combs, hair and toothbrushes and whisk brooms were valued thrown in the dump barrels is

toothbrushes and whisk brooms were ordered thrown in the dump barrels is absolutely false, but merely they must be kept out of sight.

The above is written at I view the situation. There may not there may not be extenuating circumstances in connection with what the writer mentions as errors, that could be demonstrate on proper inquiry, but this is not clear the proper inquiry in the proper inquiry. on proper inquiry, but this is not clear with my present knowledge; neither does my business warrant such inquiry. In conclusion I will say that Col. Andrew Jackson mith, Governor of the Soldiers' Home, is a gentleman and a soldier—one among the many who made it possible for the American flag to float over our heads today, and it is time for all good and true Americans to stand by such men, no matter what their rank may have been, and to put a stop to anarchists and middle-of-theroad people who are trying to cause trouble with the management of the Soldiers' Home, and, in fact, with the management of the government in general.

MEMBER OF THE HOME SINCE

Thanks of a Brave and Grateful Engineer. LOS ANGELES, Cal., February 10, LOS ANGELES. Cal., February 10, 1897.—[To the Editor of The Times:] Please thank the passengers of train No. 17, February 1, for their kindly sympathy toward myself and fireman. We both appreciate their generous gifts of purse and medal, with their resolutions of praise, and while we feel we did nothing but our duty, or what any other engineer and fireman. we feel we did nothing but our duty, or what any other engineer and fireman would have done under similar circumstances, still their kindness and generous feelings will ever be remembered by us. The medal is a work of art, both in design and workmenship, and will always be highly prized by yours respectfully WILLIAM FERGUSON.

No. 603 Schlisinger street.

WAREHOUSE BURNED.

SIX-THOUSAND-DOLLAR FIRE ON UPPER MAIN STREET.

lidday Blaze Which Was not Dis covered Until the Flames Shot Through the Roof-Loss Distributed Among Individuals and Insurance Companies.

A fire which broke out about noo yesterday in the City Warehouse, at No. 675 Upper Main street, did about \$6000 worth of damage. Fully \$4000 of this was insured. The prompt and efficient work of the Fire Department in battling with the flames, which had eaten away nearly half the roof before the fire was discovered, did much to

ward keeping the damage within the amount named.

The City Warehouse is run by P. D. Smith. The building is the property of Minneapolis parties, for whom W. H. Allen of this city is agent. The north side of the building, rented by Hol-brook, Merrill & Stetson, the San Francisco hardware firm, is used by them for storage, but the loss by fire to the hardware will not exceed \$1000 to the nardware will not exceed \$1000, fully insured in the Franklin and German Alliance companies. The southern half of the building, which runs through from Upper Main to New High street, is where the property stored by different parties was kept and where the greater damage was done.

one. No one was in the building at the time the fire started. Mr. Smith left the office to visit the bank just before 12 o'clock. Shortly after, flames were seen shooting through the roof of the one-story structure and an alarm was turned in from box No. 21 at Bellevue avenue and New High street. When the firemen arrived the flames had gained such headway that it was not thought possible to save anything.

When the firemen arrived the flames had gained such headway that it was not thought possible to save anything, but by diligent work the fire was confined to the central and forward parts of the building.

The fire is supposed to have originated among some feathers and goods belonging to Mrs. E. B. Fisher, which were stored near the middle of the building. Her loss will be about \$700. One of the heaviest losers was Mrs. C. B. Chouteau, who had considerable valuable bric-a-brac stored near Mrs. Fisher's goods. Her loss will probably aggregate \$1500. Other losers were: Mrs. L. B. Little, \$300; Dr. W. G. Stowe, \$100; Fitz Beach, \$100; J. D. Guerrera, \$150. Dr. John McCoy lost some valuable medical works in unbound manuscript.

The proprietor, Mr. Smith, carried no insurance whatever, and will lose about \$900 storage on uninsured goods. The damage to the building amounts to about \$1500, fully insured.

Not a Credible Witness.

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[Stockton Mail:] The San Francisco Call, in the midst of a prolonged flourish on its own horn, emits this:

"In the Los Angeles case a victory was won for justice and honesty in the echool board by the earnestness with which the Call sought not only for the truth. but the whole truth. In that instance not only were the innocent acquitted, but the guilty were morally convicted."

In the Los Angeles case it was proven to the satisfaction of every man of common sense in and out of Los Angeles that school teachers had been blackmislied and compelled to pay money for positions. The corruption which touches the public schools is the most infamous of all corruption. It is worse than burglary or arson. To the defense of all corruption. It is worse than burglary or arson. To the defense of the accused and evidently guilty, the Call came. It opened its columns to laudations of rascals and to the meanest slander of honest men. It is possible that the personage now busily oiling the joints and stretching the tendons of the celebrated Leg, flatters himself that his slander of honorable men will be received. Let not Slippery Sam deceive himself. He is not a credible witness.

#### CATARRH OF THE STOMACH

A Pleasant, Simple, but Safe, Effectual Cure For It.

Catarrh of the stomach has long been con-sidered the next thing to incurable.

The usual symptoms are a full or bloating sensation after eating, accompanied some-times with sour or watery risings, a formation of gases, causing pressure on the heart and lungs and difficult breathing; headache, fickle of gases, causing pressure on the heart and lungs and difficult breathing; headache, fickle appetite, nervousness and a general playedout, languid feeling. There is often a foul taste in the mouth, coated tongue, and if the interior of the stomach could be seen, it would show a slimy, inflamed condition. The cure for this common and obstinate trouble is found in a treatment which causes the food to be readily, thoroughly digested before it has time to ferment and irritate the delicate mucous surfaces of the stomach. To secure a prompt and healthy digestion is the one necessary thing to do, and when normal digestion is secured, the catarrhal condition will have disappeared.

According to Dr. Harlanson, the safest and best treatment is to use after each meal a tablet, composed of Diastase, Aseptic Pepsin, a little Nux, Golden Seal, and fruit acids. These tablets can now be found at all drug stores under the name of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, and, not being a patent medicine, can be used with perfect safety and assurance that healthy appetite and thorough digestion will follow their regular use after meals.

Mr. N. J. Booher of 2710 Dearborn street.

meals.

Mr. N. J. Booher of 2710 Dearborn street,
Chicago, Ill., writes: "Catarrh is a local
condition, resulting from a neglected cold in
the head, whereby the lining membrane of the

the head, whereby the lining membrane of the nose becomes inflamed and the poisonous discharge therefrom, passing backward into the throat, reaches the stomach, thus producing catarrh of the stomach Medical authorities prescribed for me for three years for catarrh of the stomach without cure, but today I am the happlest of men after using only one box of stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. I cannot find appropriate words to express my good feeling. I have found flesh, appetite and sound rest from their use."

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Where wisdom is bliss 'tis folly to be ignorant.

A pitch in time saved the nine.
Chain up a child and away he will go.
Virtue is its only reward.
A bird in the hand lays no eggs.
All that a man hath will he give to his wife,
Many hands like light work.
It's a wise child that owes his own father.
Policy is the best honesty.
The rolling stone catches the worm.
Osculation is the thief of time.
A thirsty man will catch at a straw.
Absinthe makes the heart grow fonder.
Straws show which way the gin goes.
"Heaven lies about us in our infancy," and
this world lies about us when we are grown up.

ID.

The woman who collaborates is lost.
It is not good for man to give a loan.
The wigges of sin is debt.
Every downa must have its day.

#### [REAL ESTATE RECORD.]

## HOUSE AND LOT.

PROPOSED NORTHWESTERN BOULEVARD.

How an Attractive Section of the City Might Be Opened Up for Residences.

REAL ESTATE SHELL GAME.

OF AN IMPROVED LOT ON

Government Lands Open to Settle-ment in San Bernardino County. Building Notes from All Parts of the City.

The local real estate market has con tinued rather dull during the past week. There have been the usual num-ber of small deals, but large transac-tions have been lacking. This is pattly due to the fact that buyers are inclined to confine their operations to a few prominent thoroughfares, both in the business and residence sections, while holders ask very firm prices on those

OVER-MORTGAGING. The reference that has been made in this department of late to the practice this department of late to the practice which has grown up of erecting filmsy residences, mortgaging them for the full value of the property, and then seeking to make an exchange of some sortfor the asserted equity has brought confirmation from many quarters. Property in which the equity is offered Property in which the equity is offered for exchange under such conditions is not confined to any particular section, but is found all over the city. It is remarkable that people can be found to make such unwise loans. To a great extent these loans are made by outsiders through agents who are anxious to earn their commission, although some local financial institutions have also erred in this respect. It is not only an undesirable but a dangerous practice, as it jeopardizes the foundation upon which the real estate market rests. Should there be anything like a little slump in prices, the owners of these mortigages would find it difficult to realize anything near their face value.

A STORY OF CHICANERY.

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One ocasionally hears of still more reprehensible practices in connection with the local real estate market, in which there are too many hangers-on for the good of the legitimate dealers. A story comes up from the southwestern part of the city, which evinces an extraordinary amount of duplicity on the one side, and credulity on the other. According to this story, the owner of three lots on one of the most prominent streets in the southwestern part of the city had a good house on the central lot, which we will call lot 25. This house he insured for \$5000, and obtained a certificate of title for the property. The lots are worth about \$2500 each. Claiming the house and lot to be worth \$9000, he borrowed \$5000 on the property. Then he went and insured the house again with another company, as being on lot 26, borrowing another \$5000 on the lot and asserted house. The same operation was performed, through another company, in regard to lot 24, a third \$5000 borrowed, so that the man thus obtained a loan of \$15,000 on three lots and one house. This sort of real estate shell game is about as bad as anything that was practiced during the wildest days of the boom. which there are too many hangers-on for the good of the legitimate dealers.

A SALE ON BROADWAY. Mrs. Harriet Harvey has purchased the Owen Bros. Block, on the east side the Owen Bros. Block, on the east side of Broadway between Third and Fourth streets, for \$43.500 cash. The lot is 40x 165, with a good and comparatively new two-story brick block thereon, which cost over \$10.000, and rents for \$3000 a year. Mrs. Harvey is a non-resident, and this is her first purchase in Los Angeles. The sale was made through Clark & Bryan.

GOVERNMENT LAND.

A correspondent of the Cucamonga paper writes as follows in regard to overnment land in Apple, Mason and Marble valleys, on the east side of the Mojave River, in San Bernardino

y: o hours' ride by rail from the y seat takes one onto the govern-lands, where one can take a stead claim of 160 acres or a desert claim of 320 acres; good climate, soil, water and near by are many mines—a home market. Reckon up how many claims or farms can be made in this county alone. There are about 550 townships; each township contains thirty-six sections, each section contains 640 acres, divided into four quarter-sections of 160 acres each. Find the number of acres and divide by 2—this leaves about what still belongs to Uncle Sam.

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A NORTHWESTERN BOULEVARD. ert claim of 320 acres; good climate.

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As The Times has observed on several occasions, the demand for hill residence property, which has set in for the past couple of years, opens up excellent opportunities for enterprising capitalists to subdivide and place on the market some of the hill land in the extreme northwestern partic the city, which offers many attractions for residences. The views here are grand, the climate is almost particular from the ocean and the loamy soil, does not make mud after a rain. The first thing to do in this direction is to build a good road or boulevard, so that people may be able to drive conveniently through that section, which is not only approached by poor dirt roafs. A good suggestion in this direction has recently been made, and should be considered by proporty-owners in the northwestern part of the city. The Pasadena and Pacific Hallroad recently completed a fine work of grading on its line, from the Sisters' Hospital to Douglas street, a distance of about half a mile. The roadway is from eighty to one hundred feet in width, and is covered with disintegrated granite, brought by the company from a point in the Santa Monica foothills, near Laurel Cafon. This is far superior to the sticky, red gravel usually placed on the streets of Los Angeles, as it does not get muddy after a rain. It is suggested that property-owners in that vicinity should take hold of this improvement and push it to the city limits, where it might be connected with the present Sunset boulevard, or, what would be still better, continued right through to Santa Monica, to a width of 100 feet, with a row of shade trees on each side. In this manner, there will do be provided, at small expense, a first-class boulevard, about which so much has been said and written during the past few years, and with an electric line already on it.

It is not necessary to point out how yastly this would improve the value of property along the line, which is

at present almost unsaleable for residence purposes, because there is no good driveway to it. Mr. Clark, of the Pasadena and Pacific Railroad, estimates that this improvement could be made, from Douglas street to Burbank junction, a distance of about two miles, for \$15,000, of which one-third would be paid by the railroad company. If the property-owners in the northwestern part of the city are wise, they will come together and consider this proposition. We have had many boulevards built on paper during the past few years. It is now about time to get to work and build a real one. It is not too much to say that the increased value of property along the line, within a year after the completion of the work, would cover the cost of the improvement ten times over.

The Bellevue-avenue line of the Santa Monica electric road at present runs cars to the city limits every half hour. As soon as the thoreased settlement of the section should warrant it, the company will be prepared to run cars more frequently.

BUILDING. at present almost unsaleable for resi-

BUILDING. The Builder and Contractor notes The Builder and Contractor notes the following unconstructed new work: Plans have been prepared for extensive alterations to the storerooms and front of the Y.M.C.A. building, on Broadway.

Meyer Lissner is having plans drawn for a two-story building of eight flats, each containing six rooms, to be built on the corner of Ninth and Clive streets.

on the corner of Ninth and Olive streets.

Plans have been prepared for the American Building and Mortgage Company of seven residences, two of which will be built on Ocean View avenue, in the Nob Hill tract, and five on the corner of Bush and Eighteenth streets. Plans have been prepared for an additional story to the Central Block on Spring street, near the corner of Court, belonging to the Lan Franco estate. The new addition will be occupied by the Order of Foresters, and will have three main assembly rooms.

Henry Martz is about to creet a four-story hotel building, on the east side of Broadway, between Fourth and Fifth streets.

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The following permits of \$2000 and over were issued by the City Superintendent of Buildings:

California Hospital Association, four-story hospital building, Hope street, between Fourteenth and Fifteenth streets; \$18,000.

Clara L. Vallelly, nine-room two-story residence, near the corner of Thirty-sixth and Flower streets; \$2000.

MINES AND MINING.

PROSPECTS OF THE LOCAL MINING

Copper Mining Company-Change in Mining Law-Cargo Muchach Mines - Mining Dividends Paid During the Past Year.

Business on the local mining exchange has been going from bad to worse during the past few weeks. The directors of the institution admit that something will soon have to be done to either place the exchange more solidly on its

feet or wind it up. A CORPORATION FOR PROFIT. A member of the exchange, who is not entirely satisfied with the way things are going, recently sent in his resignation as a member to the secretary, whereupon he received the following route.

"Replying to your esteemed favor of

ing reply:

"Replying to your esteemed favor of recent date, in regard to your resignation, I beg leave to inform you that after careful consideration by the Board of Directors, and securing the advice of our attorneys, Messrs. Works & Lee, we find that as a matter of fact, this being a corporation for prefit, and you holding stock in the same, the Board of Directors has no authority to accept your resignation.

"Our annual meeting occurs in April, at which time it is the disposition of the Board to request a very full attendance, when this matter and others of like nature can be taken under advisement by the stockholders as a whole."

It will be news for a good many of the members that the exchange is a "corporation for profit." It was the general opinion that the exchange was something after the same style of institution as the Chamber of Commerce, that is to say, organized for the purpose of forwarding the interests of the local mining industry. If the exchange is a "corporation for profit" it certainly has not so far fulfilled its mission. Not only has the exchange not been profitable to the members, but it has certainly not, so far, been of advantage to the local mining industry. The continual quotation of stocks at prices ranging from an equivalent of \$250 for the whole "mine" up to \$5000.

it has certainly not, so far, been of advantage to the local mining industry. The continual quotation of stocks at prices ranging from an equivalent of \$250 for the whole "mine" up to \$5000 or so, such quotations advancing a twentieth of a cent today, and receding a tenth of a cent tomorrow, has not been calculated to inspire respect or confidence in local mining transactions on the part of outsiders.

When the mining exchange commenced operations under the present system, The Times pointed out that the time was not yet ripe in Los Angeles for the introduction of the daily call board feature. The experience of the past year has amply proven the truth of this statement. Owners of many of the best mines in this section have refused to list them on the exchange for quotation, expressing the opinion that to do so would be rather a detriment to the stock than otherwise. As The Times suggested a year ago, and as some of the conservative members of the exchange advised, the best thing to have done in order to further the interests of the local mining industry would have been to maintain a mining headquarters, with samples of ore from the southwestern country, to give occasional lectures on mining subjects, and to take bona-fide mining properties for sale on a fixed commission, such properties to be first passed upon by a responsible mining expert, whose expenses should be paid by the owner of the mine. In this manner the exchange might have been developed on a solid foundation, and in course of time, as interest in the mining industry increased in Los Angeles, it might have been found possible and advisable to establish a regular calling of stocks.

It may not yet be too late to make some such move as this. Meantime, however, if the exchange is running behind, it is the opinion of many of the members that it is not advisable to wait until April before thoroughly discussing the question of what is best to be done.

A COPPER-MINING COMPANY.

A COPPER-MINING COMPANY. The United States Yucca Coppe Company, with headquarters in New York, evidently intends to operate i York, evidently intends to operate in San Bernardino county, a certified copy of the company's articles of incorporation having been filed at the County Clerk's office. The company was organized in 1897. The directors are Frederick Carter of Bloomfield, N. J.; Amos Ellis, H. Jerome Carty, New York; Henry W. Richardson, East Orange, N. J.; Jerome Carty, Philadelphia. The purpose of the company is to mine copper and other metals and minerals. The amount of capital subscribed is \$5000, and the incorporation papers embrace the privilege of increasing said capital by the sale of additional shares of stock from time to time to \$2,000,000.

A CHANGE IN MINING LAW.

A CHANGE IN MINING LAW. There has been a change in the mining law regarding assessment work a group of claims. Those desiring to

a group of claims. Those desiring to patent a group of claims can no longer do all the development work on one claim, but are required to make an expenditure of not less than \$500 for work or labor or improvement on each lode of a group of claims.

The regulations of the General Land Office of the United States, which were approved December 15, 1897, now require that not less than \$500 worth of work or labor shall be expended on improvements made upon each lode of a group of claims before entitled to patent. Paragraph 53 of the General Land Office regulations reads as follows:

"The claimant, either at the time of filing these papers with the registrar, or at any time during the sixty days' publication, is required to file a certificate of the Surveyor-General that not less than \$500 worth of labor has been expended or improvements made upon the claim, and if more than one claim is included in the application, that an amount equal to \$500 for each claim has been expended by the applicant or his grantors; that the plat filed by the claimant is correct; that the field notes of the survey, as filed, furnish such an accurate description of the claim as will, if incorporated into a patent, serve to fully identify the premises, and that such reference is made therein to natural objects or permanent monuments as will perpetuate and fix the locus thereof."

CARGO MUCHACHO MINES.

CARGO MUCHACHO MINES J. H. Coffin recently returned to Pas J. H. Coffin recently returned to Pasadena from a trip to the Cargo Muchacho mines, which he was recently instrumental in placing in the Jands of a syndicate of capitalists headed by ex-Gov. H. H. Markham. He recorts to the Pasadena Star that the pumping plant is in and the pipe is lail to within one and one-half miles of the mines. This work will be completed in about ten days.

A deed has been filed for record with the recorder of San Diego county, whereby five of these claims pass absolutely into the hands of the syndicate mentioned. The consideration named in the deed is \$300,000.

STATE MINING BUREAU.

STATE MINING BUREAU. The new location of the California State Mining Bureau, including the state Mining Bureau, including the museum, is in the new union depot at the foot of Market street. San Francisco. In the old location in the Pioneer building, on Fourth street, a monthly rental of \$250 has been paid for many years. In its new location the State will charge the bureau \$100 per month.

DIVIDENDS IN 1897.

The following list of nining compa-nies that have paid dividends during the year 1897, with the amount of div idends paid, will be found useful for reference:

-1	Alaska-Mexican	54,000
- 1	Alaska-Mexican Alaska-Treadwell	225,000
-1		80,000
: 1	Alliance American Gold Anaconda Anchoria-Leland Apolio Con. Atlantic Copper Atlantic Copper Bald Butte	5,000
)	Angeonda	42,000 3,000,000
	Anchoria-Loland	72,000
٠,	Apollo Con	100,000
- 1	Arizona Copper	48,000
- 1	Atlantic Copper	40,000
- 1	Bald Butte	7 700
1	Big Seven Big Six Boston and Montana	3,000
- 1	Big Six	5,000
8	Boston and Montana	1,800,000
- 1	Boston and Montana.  Bullion Beek  Bunker Hill and Sullivan.  Calumet and Hecla  Cariboo  Continental Eureka  Central Lead  Champion.	70,000
5	Columnt and Hoole	102,000
r	Cariboo	5,000,000
0	Continental Eureka	48,000 98,000
1	Central Lead	
- 1	Central Lead Champion Charleston Chloride Point Commodore Corross Deadwood Terra Della S.	51,600
-1	Charleston	10,000
8	Chloride Point	5,000
7	Commodore	20,000
	Coronas	4,500
S	Daly	37,500 \$0,000
-	Deadwood Terra	\$0,000
-	Della S	10,000
	Filton Con	7,500
f	Pl Paso	260,000
I	Florence	5,393 18,030
-	Fortuna	110,000
t	Galena	5,000
e	Garfield-Grouse	12,000
e	Geyser-Marion	12,000 63,000
9	Gold Coin	45,000
f	Gold Coin of Victor	10,000
	Golden Cycle	55,000
,	Golden Fleece	6,000
e	Della S. Dutch Dutch Eikton Ccn Ei Paso Florence Fortuna Galena Garfield-Grouse Geyser-Marion Gold Coin of Victor Golden Cycle Golden Fleece Gwin Heela Con	12,000
У	Highland	30,000
	Highland Holy Terror	300,000 36,000
1,	Homestake	437.500
f	Homestake Hope of St. Louis	110,000
-	Idaho, B. Con	120,000
S	Iowa Iron Mountain	30,000
-	Iron Mountain	5,000
a	Isabella Kearsarge Last Chance Le Roi	67,500
	Kearsarge	40,000
f	Last Chance	20,000
a	Le Roi	350,000
	Moreur	S,100
9	Merrimac	9.400
S	Mountain Ore Pur. Co	160.000
-	Moon Anchor	54.000
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-	Mt. Rosa	10,000
e	Napa Con New Idria Quicksilver. New York and Honduras Rosaric. Ontario	00.000
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-	New York and Honduras Rosaric	180,000
-	Ontario	202,500
t	Dannaulyania	150,000
t	Portland	18,125
	Princess	360,000
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i.	Rambler-Cariboo	40,000
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f	Sacramento	15,000
0	Santa Rosalia	20,000
a	Silver King, Utah	450,000
-	Sloan Star	50,000
S	South Swansea Standard Con. Swansea	67,500
t	Standard Con	40,000
-	Swangea	50,000
	Tamarack	360,000
*	Victor	4,000
	Western Mine Enterprise	90,000
t	Whitewater (B. C.)	6,000 30,000
t		30,000
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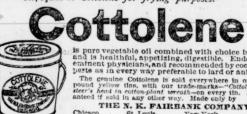
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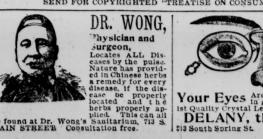
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# ORCHARD, FARM, RANCHO AND STOCKYARD.

Crops and Markets.

THE reinfall which came at the fre-ginning of the week did not amount to much, but it was bet-ter than nothing, and farmers are now hoping for more in the near fu-

There has been a good deal of talk during the past week in regard to the shipment of frozen oranges from Southern California to the East. Further remarks on this subject will found elsewhere on this page. It is still very difficult to obtain an ac-curate estimate as to the percentage of oranges injured by the recent pro-tracted cold spell. Residents of each neighborhood are adverse to admit that their section has sustained any damage. It is probable, however, that when the final reckoning is made, the early estimate of a loss of 10 per cent. on the entire crop will have to be somewhat increased.

The demand for dried fruit continues fairly good. Consumption in the East is rather light, but large shipments have been going forward to the been seing forward to the like country, which helps to

maintain prices.
Shipments of California-cured fruits by rail, on through bills of lading, to England and Europe, for the seven onths ended December 31, 1897, were Prunes, 8,664,000 pounds, or 361 cars of 24,000 pounds each, apricots, pears, peaches and apples 3,932,000 pounds, or 164 cars; raisins, 286,000 pounds, or 12 cars; total, 537 cars. Shipments by sea amount to about the equivalent of forty cars. Overland shipments of cured apricots from San José for seato January 22, were 9,036.103

Hay continues firm, the recent rain fall not having been sufficient to exrail not having been sufficient to ex-ert much influence on prices of this commodity. The local market has generally been steady, except eggs, which are very weak. Prices will be found on the commercial page.

Protecting Florida Orange Groves.

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A N ORANGE-GROWER of Jacksonville, Fla., writing to one of the papers of that State, recommends the following plan for protecting orange groves from frost:

"Take a five-acre grove; erect a twenty-foot fence on the northwest end of the grove; another twenty-foot fence on southeast side of grove, with a running board directly through the center, so that upon the notification of a cold wave coming from the weather bureau, you could run canvas from the northwest corner to the center running board, and fasten it.

"You can also take your canves from the southeast corner and dolkewise. Then have side flaps for your grove, which you could drop and fasten to your baseboard running all around."

around.

"Then set your resin pots burning inside, enough to-make a black smudge; and, in the judgment of the writer, no freeze that you have ever had in Florida would hurt your or-

ange trees.
"This same plan would also apply to pineapple plantations and vegetable gardens along the east coast, or in any other section in Florida, only you would not have to build your fences so high."

The plan may be all very well where valuable groves are already established, although even then the estimated cost of \$200 to protect a fiveacre grove will certainly cause many growers to pause a long time before

In a section where it costs \$400 an acre to protect oranges from frost, we should say that the most sensible plan would be to plant some other plan would be less delicate crop.

#### Oranges and Overproduction.

EVERY once in a while, as the yield of some product in California becomes temporarily greater than the market can profitably dispose of, or as there is a prospect of such increasing yield, a cry goes up about overproduction.

Recently there appeared in the San

Diego Union an article giving figures on oranges, in which growers were recommended to stop increasing the production, as overproduction would soon make them worthless, because when 35,000 carloads are raised they cannot be profitably marketed. mmunication to the Union, G

P. Hill. Horticultural Commissioner of an Diego county, criticises this view f the case. He says: "The same pessimistic plea has often

"The same pessimistic plea has often been made about apples. There are years when apples bring only a few cents a bushel, but the owners of the orchards continue to raise them, rather than cut down their trees. The wheat market gets demoralized and immediately the cry of overproduction is raised; and there is hardly a product of the farm or orchard that does not have its times of depressed range of prices. But experience proves that the farmer or fruit-raiser that stays by his product wins in the long run. Where there is a cry of overproduction, and some heed it and turn away, the one that holds on surely wins this rising market. The old adage that when everybody cries quit, it is just the time to hold on, applies in the premises."

Mr. Hill goes on to say that, if the

Mr. Hill goes on to say that, if the increases and the prices the demand will keep pace. The great trouble, he believes is not overproduction, but undercon-sumption, by reason of our timorous

Farmers' Meetings.

IN REVIEWING the recent meeting of the Farmers' Institute in Los Angeles, the agricultural editor of the San Francisco Chronicle expressed San Francisco Chronicle
the opinion that the was notable for what it did no even attempt to do, rather than for anything actually accomplished. Th

Chronicle says:
"The 'delegates' to this meeting had "The 'delegates' to this meeting had been formally 'elected' by the local farmers' clubs to which they belong to be their 'representatives.' Now we respectfully submit that the formal election of certain persons to go at their own expense to Los Angeles and hear Prof. Hilgard and Prof. 'Woodbridge discuss fertilizers, and Mr. Moore and Mr. Naftzger discuss coöperative methods, and enjoy the various other interesting features of the meeting, was utter nonsense. They did not need to be 'empowered' to do that, and in fact those who went without election got just as much enjoyment, did just as much good and had just as effectual a voice as the very elect themselves. A useful farmers' club not only collects and discusses information respecting tillage and klodred topics, but concerns itself helpfully with public and local administration of rural affairs. Its sessions are partly for instruction and partly for decision. It makes useful things happen in its vicinity which would not otherwise take place. It does things.

"A useful convention of farmers' does things.

clubs is a business session. It concerns itself with formulating policies of State and national effect. More especially it is occupied with creating machinery for alding to carry into effect that which it has been agreed should be done. Its delegates are duly authorized to represent the wisbes of their clubs on such matters, and to pledge the moral and financial assistance of their constituents to the promotion of what the majority may decide upon. There are topics enough, heaven knows, which demand the intelligent consideration of farmers in this State, and since the State Grange bas not proved itself, in this State, of any value for such purpose, we had looked for this convention of farmers' clubs for a new leadership. What can be done to secure better roads? Upon what principle should the next road law be constructed? What is it desirable to do about agricultural instruction in schools? What about our various agricultural 'boards,' bureaus' and 'commissions?' Can or cannot they be profitably consolidated or rearranged? What shall be the polannot they be profitably consolidated rearranged? What shall be the po cy of the State with respect to inspition, quarantine, or other measure relation to cattle diseases? And

"As to all these matters the con-tion is silent. It doubtless, like tion is silent. It doubless, like other farmers' meetings, passed of 'resolutions' which bound no and will be like other New Year resolutions are too toward as and will be like other New Year resolutions. It took no step toward accomplishing anything whatever. It had no
treasury and not a dollar to put in it
if it had one. It formed no permanent
organization. Its members had a glorious time and went home. The convention had a great opportunity and did
not rise to it. We looked to it for a
good example for our northern people,
and got a had one."

There are doubtless many things to
be desired in connection with these
farmers' meetings, but we cannot excect to have everything at once. It is
not an easy, thing to get farmers to orcanize for their own benefit, even in

me late institute, where a number iteresting subjects pertaining to the stry were discussed. In course of these meetings will doubtless lead omething of a more practical char-

Tobacco in Southern California.

MUCH interest continues to be taken in this section in the to-bacco question. San Diego is taking the lead in this direction. Mention has already been made in The Times of the tobacco industry that is being built up there, smoking tobacco put up in San Diego being on sale in this city. Reference has also been made to the recently-formed Tobacco-Growers' Association. Now the Chamber of Comnerce and the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association of San Diego nave appointed a joint committee to in terview business men, land companies and others interested in the development of the tobacco industry, to rais \$1500 to secure an expert to teach growing communication from the San Diego County Tobacco-Growers' Association to the San Diego Chamber of Commerce casts light upon the subject:

merce casts light upon the subject:

"SAN DIEGO, Cal., Jan. 28, 1898.

"To the Chamber of Commerce, Sa Diego—Gentlemen: As you have invite suggestions of matters that should haken up by the chamber during the current year, we desire to call your attention to a new industry that has bee started in this county, namely, tobacc growing.

growing.
"A few growers have demonstrated in the last two years, that a superior e county.
"It is true that some have not liked

"It is true that some have not liked the tobacco. This is due to the fact that no tobacco is very good until it is three or four years old. The San Diego tobacco is remarkably good when it is considered that it has not got 'age' yet. To compare it with the seasoned Havana is like comparing newly-made wine with old wine. Another consideration is that we have not properly understood the curing of the leaf. When the curing is properly done and the tobacco has sufficient age, we confidently believe it will rival the best tobacco grown in any part of the world.

"This country last year imported 33,000,000 pounds of tobacco. Four and one-half million pounds of this were Sumatra, on which a duty of \$1.80 per pound is now imposed. In Florida 250,000,000 of cigars were made with Havana wrappers, requiring one and a quarter million pounds of tobacco.

Havana wrappers, requiring one and a quarter million pounds of tobacco. The demand for fine tobacco is almost unlimited, as millions are burning it

night and day.
"In Florida, Gadsen county alone produced \$500,000 Worth of tobacco last year, and the farmers had the money for it by the 15th of October of the same year. San Diego county could soon reach the production of 1,000,000 pounds, which would give employment to a large number of persons, and would yield a product, if manufactured, of \$2,000,000 every ear

of \$2,000,000 everyy ear.
"Many States maintain, at the public xpense, a tobacco expert departmen spense, a tobacco expert department is connection with their agricultural speriment station. In Connecticut To-acco Experiment Company, and for ve years made a series of costly ex-"Florida has a tobacco expert at their gricultural experiment station and the

irector also gives great attention to bbacco culture. The Florida railways istributed seed free of charge and ofistributed seed free of charge and ofcred large prizes, as high as \$500, for
he best 300 pounds of tobacco. They
ven employed an expert to instruct
be farmers in the growing of the crop.
"The people of Florida held a great
bacco fair last winter, and called a
onvention to organize a national toacco-growers' association, and incientally to advertise Florida tobacco,
the Governor of the State issued the
all to the Governors of other States,
and the Mayor of the town, when the
onvention thet, made an address of
elcome to the delegates when they asembled."

convention met, made an address of welcome to the delegates when they assembled."

"At Fort Meade 1200 acres of land were donated to Cubans to induce them to start tobacco-growing at that place. Great expense has been incurred in Florida to develop this industry, on the ground that it was not wise to depend alone or chiefly on chrus fruits, when frost destroyed in that State \$50,000,000 worth of property in a single night.

"The first need in the proper and intelligent development of this industry is expert knowledge in treating the leaf. Dr. Clute, director of the Florida experiment station, in his address before the National Tobacco Growers' Association, isaid: One of the most important factors in producing the more valuable tobacco is curing. We may produce the most perfect leaf ever cut from a Cuban or Florida field, and unwise curing will give us a useless or inferior article. It is mainly in the matter of curing that Florida has thus far been deficient. We have grown a great deal of good tobacco which has been bought from the drying houses of, the growers, often at a low price, cured out of the State, and then sold at high figures as the best Cuban product, and used in the manufacture of the highest-priced cigars, the main profit, of course, going out of the State.

"Col. Chipley said: 'I have been try-

Shipping Frosted Oranges.

WCH is being said by eastern trade papers and eastern fruit declers regarding the receipt of frosted fruit frem California. first impulse of Californians naturally to deny the change and to upheld the reputation of the orange industry in the State. But n mature reflection it seems not improbable that there is some justice in the complaint, and that it is better that the question be thoroughly inves

recently made a careful study of the citrus-fruit question in many localities has endeavored to fathom the problem of the shipment of frosted orillustrated by his experience in the acking house of one of the most repu-able packers in the State. As the reporter stood in the office the proprieto as telephoning an inquiry regarding certain car of oranges, of which he expressed grave doubt as regards frost. When interviewed, however, a minute later, the gentleman declared that the frost had done no damage in that locality. It is not probable that the gentleman intended to misrepresent conlitions. The fact is that there is a ertain degree of temperature which enders the question of damage very ifficult to answer. As orange juice begins to congeal at a temperature of 31 degrees, and as but few of the juice cells are broken when the interior of the orange is brought to a temperature of 28 degrees, it is evident that there is a quantity of "frosted" oranges, as distinguished from frozen fruit-that in which most or all of the fuice cells are broken, which takes place at a temperature inside the crange of 26 or 27 degrees. As it is the absence of juice, due to the breaking of the cells, which renders an orange unpatable when frozen, and as the frozen orange oks and feels just like a good orange or some days after being frozen, it delicate question to determine just

what fruit should be marketed. The first safe proposition to lay down that no oranges should be packed under fancy brands unless they are absolutely known to be above suspicion of damage. This is not a difficult matter, for the majority of orchards in almost every district are entirely exempt from damage, and it is safe to pack fancy fruit only from such orchards. So far as can be learned, this rule is the packer has every incentive to preserve the reputation of his fancy brand. It is in the "seconds" that we must

ook for the problem of frosted fruit. standing that it is not of the best. The eastern buyer knows, at least in a gen-eral way, that a certain amount of Calfornia's orange crop has been affected second-grade fruit he is liable to get some which will show the effect of the frost. But on the other hand, he has a right to expect the fruit to be of a The packer knows that every day

which elapses after a frest adds to the injury of fruit which has been affected by the frost, and if his interests require it, and he is not scrupulous, he will begin shipping that which is the worst hurt, which he believes will hold its juice until it reaches the consumer. He knows better than to willfully ship long. But here is a question of judg determine to a day how long the frui will retain its juice. That some packers take desperate chances in shipments is certain. They send out the orst first, then they discover that an

It is no less inevitable that with the decrease in price those trees which encounter numerous obstacles must be cut down, and such are the trees which yield but three crops in eight years. It thus appears that it is useless to advance moral sussion as a cure for the shipment of frozen oranges, while the difficulty in drawing the line between the good and the bad makes it difficult to establish a prohibitive law.

The eastern dealers in oranges are not wholly at sea in this matter. They all know of packing firms on whom they can depend for honorable treatment; they know that no reputable house will ship them frosted fruit when they demand sound fruit, and they know that they can and do reject fruit if it fails to come to the standard they have ordered. If the facts could be ascertained it would undoubtedly be found that in most cases the desappointment comes to the buyer when he finds he is not getting goods more valuable than he is to pay for. These is but one remedy in the hands of California for this evil. That is to draw plainly and conspicuously is to Graw plainly and conspicuously the line between the true cirrus land and that which has been planted through error. Unfortunate as that is for individuals, it is the basis of the hope of the industry for the years to come.

Sweet Pea Review.

WILLIAM DOXEY of San Fran-W clsco has published an admira-ble review of that most at-tractive and generous flower, the sweet pea. It is prepared and dited by the Sunset Seed and Plant n detail 195 varieties, offers a tabuted summary by colors, indicating the est and those next desirable, and ecommending the discarding of others. ent by mail for 25 cents.

The Horticultural Quarantine Bill.

S AN FRANCISCO, Feb. 8. 1898.—[To the Editor of The Times:] I notice in the horticultural columns of last week's Times a short article commending the Harden mending the Horticultural Quarantine fruit-growers and others to work for

its passage.

There are several serious defects in the bill that has probably escaped your

Section 1 "makes its unlawful Section 1 "makes its unlawful for any transportation company, after Oc-tober 1, 1898, to offer for entry at any port in the United States any trees, plants... unless accompanied by a certificate of inspection by a govern-ment official of the government from which the exportation was mode . . . and after the aforesaid date, October 1, 1898, all nursery stock imported in accordance with the aforesald regulations lsss, all nursery stock imported in accordance with the aforesald regulations shall be free from all inspection, quarantine, or restriction in interstate commerce. This practically means that the trees, etc., cannot enter the United States unless accompanied by the certificate of a foreigner, that "they are apparently free from all insect and fungus diseases dangerously injurious to nursery stock." If accompanied by a certificate the law has been compiled with, and no one in the United States can interfere with them. This means no quarantine at all for America. It would be safer for our government to entrust our immigration laws to the officials of other countries. The family of an indigent immigrant may make good citizens, but the descendants of scale and other bugs are never good until after they have been treated with budge-entraced.

acid gas administered at the expense of the orchardist.

I do not believe that the interstate clause in section 3 will meet with the approval of California orchardists, as we would have no right to refuse stock—if accompanied with inspection certificate—from districts where "peach yellows" or "peach rosette" are known to exist. Curculio and other pests and diseases would have a clear right-of-way. Interstate inspection can be better attended at the destination point, as it will be more conscientiously done. The people there are certainly the most interested in its condition.

condition.

The passage of Mr. Barlow's bill would defeat the very object the autheir intends to accomplish.

If the nurserymen of other countries do not approve of our inspection, they have a perfect right to keep their stock at home. In most cases the United States would be better of without their trees.

United States Would be used to their trees.

I have written to Senator White,
Congressman Barlow and Dr. L. O. Congressman Barlow and Howard, the United States

ALEXANDER CRAW.
Quarantine Officer State Board of H

Orange Growing in Old Spain.

A FLORIDA gentleman, Maj. A. J. Adams, thus relates what he saw in the orange groves of Old Spair on the shores of the Mediterraneau will be observed that their meth-s differ vastly from ours, and it may

long. They remain for two or three years and when cut open are found thoroughly friable. The laborers go out with great woven baskets full of this material and work in several handfuls around each tree every three or four weeks. "We feed and water these trees," said one man I visited, "as we feed any water the rainel, the nule and the donkey. If we turn out these animals they can shift for themselves, but if we cease to feed the orange tree it will die." These men get rich selling oranges at two pesetas (40 cents) a box, could make money at one peseta on account of the remarkable yield each year. Some of them bought English plows and fertilizers, but they lost a season's fruit end they went back to the old way.

A Novelty in Irrigation.

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H. MILLS, land agent of the Central Pacific, has just ordered built in this city, a large portable pumping plant, by the use of which he believes the trrigation problem in Capay Valley, Yolo county, can be satisfactorily and cheaply solved

lem in Capay Valley, Yolo county, can be satisfactorily and cheaply solved tbis summer.

Capay Valley is an orchard country twenty-one miles long and about one mile and a half wide. It is drained by Cache Creek, which, contrary to the general position of such streams, is not midway of the valley, but flows close along at the foot of the bluffs at one side. The soil, though rich and productive, does not long retain the moisture from winter rains. The creek, however, contains an abundance of flowing water even in summer.

There have been planted in the valley, on land sold by the Central Pacific to settlers, 400,000 fruit trees. To obtain for these and for others a reliable and reasonable water supply from the creek, to provide against dry seasons, has been a matter to which the land company has devoted considerable thought. The creek has a fall of 241 feet in its course through the valley, but irrigation ditches, beginning bigh up the valley, would be costly if built to withstand the hillside freshets along their course. A stationary electric pumping plant, employing water power. their course. A stationary electric pumping plant, employing water power would also be too expensive an invest

ment.

By meane, however, of a movable pumping plant on a large platform, on broad-tired wheels, Mills expects to have all parts of the valley properly irrigated and at a cost to the settlers only of the exact expense of delivering the water through the plant and the 2000 feet of pipe, which is to be part of the outfit.

Nearly all the orchards are on twenty-acre tracts, each having 2000 trees. The proposed pumping plant, by the terms of the contract, is guaranteed, under normal conditions, to supply 42,-000 feet of water an hour. At this rate a twenty-acre tract with its 2000 trees would be irrigated in five hours, each tree receiving 100 gallons of water. At Tancred, a 400-acre tract in the valley, a reservoir will be built in which to store for use at pleasure, water pumped into it at one time.

The whole plant, wagons, pipe and all, will probably cost less than \$400, but but the tracts of the Contract of the Contract.

all, will probably cost less than \$4000 but by its use it is expected that Capay orchards will thrive and late fruit ma ture this summer in spite of a possible dry season.—[San Francisco Chronicle

To Retard Blooming.

THE Missouri Experiment Station has been making tests as to how the blooming of fruit trees may be re-tarded so as to escape late frosts; also

has been making tests as to how the blooming of fruit trees may be retarded so as to escape late frosts; elso, how to protect the buds from "winter-killing" in severe cold spells. As to "winter-killing" it is unknown in Texas, but late frosts often destroy our fruit crops, or thin them out severely. After irials running through three years they amounce that spraying the trees with lime whitewash is a specific against winter-killing, and that it retayds the blooming of peach trees from two to six days. Such retardations would sometimes save the crop, and as it costs but little, it would be well to try it. We quote from the bulletin of the experiment station:

"The expense of whitening is not great. A common lime whitewash was first used; but it washed off badly during rainy weather. Finally a whitewash of I'me with che-fifth of skim milk added to the water, was tried, with more satisfactory results. About one pound of salt was also dissolved in each bucketful of the whitewash. Four applications of this whitewash. Four applications of this whitewash during the winter and spring are sufficient to keep the peach trees thoroughly whitened. The first whitening should be done in early winter, shortly before Christmas. The wash may be sprayed with a puenp. We found the Bordeaux nozzle to be satisfactory, as a solid stream could be readily turned on if the lime clogged the nozzle. The whitening should be repeated as often as the lime is washed off by the rain. A good wash, however, will adhere for weeks. The trees need two sprayings to begin with, just as wood needs two coats of paint in order to cover it well. Two subsequent sprayings are sufficient. The whitewash should be made as thick as can be sprayed through a Bordeaux nozzle. We used a small bucket spray nump and applied beaut as thick as can be sprayed through a Bordeaux nozzle. We used a small bucket spray pump and applied about one-half bucketful to a tree at each

it remembered that the experi-Be it remembered that the experi-ment station was aiming to prevent winter-killing, as well as to retard blooming. Hence these sprayings be-fore Christmas. Still, better too early than too late. The Bulletin makes this

interesting note:
"In order to approximate the difference in the amount of heat absorbed by different colors, experiments were tried with thermometers. The effect of different colors on the absorption of

we finally reach Washington.-[Florida Agriculturist.

POULTRY.

A N INTERESTING experiment in feeding for a special purpose was reported some time since by one of the northern experiment stations. Two pens of pure-bred Plymouth Rocks were selected, one for breeding purposes and not wanted to lay until th breeding season opened, containing six-teen pullets, and one intended as winter layers, containing nineteen pullets. All were kept under exactly the same conditions, except as to feed. During the month of December the laying pen laid 63 eggs, the non-laying pen laid none: during January the laying pen 124 eggs; the non-laying pen, 7 eggs; during February the laying pen, 109 eggs; the non-laying, 12 eggs; during March the laying pen, 168 eggs; the non-laying pen, 48; during April the laying pen, 129; the non-laying, 189.

Ways of Preserving Eggs.

A SERIES of interesting experiments in the preservation of eggs, carried on last year in Germany, has just been published in an official consular report. After eight months of preservation 400 eggs, divided into twenty energies for that many methods wenty parcels for that many method: of experiment, were examined, mith neterogeneous results. Upon opening for use the eggs presented the followof experiment, were examined, mith heterogeneous results. Upon opening for use the eggs presented the following result, according to the parcels originally numbered: (1) Eggs put up for preservation in salt water were all bad, not rotten, but uneatable, the salt having penetrated into the eggs; (2) wrapped in paper, 80 per cent. bad; (3) preserved in a solution of salicylic acid and glycerine, 80 per cent. bad; (4) rubbed with salt, 70 per cent. bad; (6) previded with a covering of paraffin, 70 per cent. bad; (7) per cent. bad; (8) provided with a covering of paraffin, 70 per cent. bad; (7) varnished with a solution of glycerine and salicylic acid, 70 per cent. bad; (8) put in boiling water for twelve to fifteen seconds, 50 per cent. bad; (9) treated with a solution of alum, 50 per cent. bad; (10) per cent. bad; (11) varnished with water glass, 40 per cent. bad; (12) varnished with collodion, 40 per cent. bad; (13) covered with lac (probably shellac varnish,) 40 per cent. bad; (14) varnished with sward, 20 per cent. bad; (15) preserved in wood ashes, 20 per cent. bad; (16) treated with boric acid and water glass, 20 per cent bad; (17) treated with manganate of potash, 20 per cent. bad; (18) varnished with vaseline, all good; (19) preserved in a solution of water glass, all good.

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The last three methods are consequently to be considered the best ones and especially the preservation in the solution of water glass, the solution of water glass, the shell casily bursts when placed in bolling water; it is said that this may be avoided by cautiously piercing the shell with a strong needle.—[Orange Judd Farmer.

Breeding Fowls. G ET a pair; be sure they are not brother and sister. The female progeny of this mating should be mated the following season to the old male, the young male to the old hens The third year you can mate together The third year you can mate together the get of these pens, reserving one cockerel—a good one—to mate back to the original hen. This will be your new blood of your by-this-time established strain.—[Exchange.

LIVE STOCK.

THE largest wool-grower in the world is said to be Samuel Mc-Caughey of Coonong, N. S. W. He sheared last year 1,250,000 sheep. One of his ranges contains 1,500,000 acres, all under fence. He has taken great pains with his sheep, and within a few years has increased the average yield of wool, per animal by one pound of washed wool, which upon his output means an increase of annual revenue of \$500,000, less cost of extra care in obtaining it.

How Cholera Remedies,

NOTICE recently that several new cholera cures have been announced some of which are backed by high authority, and have appended to certificates names of men known to all readers of agricultural papers. I have lived more than half a century in a locality where hogs and corn have been the leading product, and where the scourge called "hog cholera" has swept not some time had the disease on it. I studied the disease more than twenty-five wears ago, and also the hog as to its liability to the disease, and came to the conclusion that no other domes tic animal has so good a constitutio or such powers of resistance of diseas as the hog, and the the loss from this disease was due entirely to the unscientific and non-hygienic treatment of the animal, and I expressed my belief

entific and non-hygienic treatment of the animal, and I expressed my belief that cholera could be prevented by careful attention to diet and sanitary precautions, and I have never seen reason to change this opinion. I would not give \$1 for any cholera cure, and I would not give 25 cents a head to the most reliable company to insure me against loss from the disease.

My reason for this is that prevention is always better than cure, and that in this case there is no difficulty in applying prevention, while there is uncertainty about the cure. I have known cholera to break out in a herd of a hundred fat hogs, and half of them died in a day or two, and, under such conditions, even if one has a specific, great loss will occur before the remedy can be made effective, and even if you cure the hogs there will be loss, for all the flesh lost must be replaced and the digestive and assimilative organs that have been deranged must be got back to normal condition before the hog can begin to gain again.

A few simple rules followed will reduce the risk of loss to a minimum, and to as small a per cent, as with horses and cattle, provided you can start with healthy stock, and that is comparatively easy to obtain now. These rules are:

First—To breed from mature moth-

the finished product that once cost double is purchased and consumed by

Profit from Keeping Heifers.

Profit from Keeping Heilers.

The milk of a helfer bearing her first calf is neither so great in quantity nor so rich as it will be after the animal has attained its full growth. Old farmers used to reckon that it took two young helfers to equal one cow. Yet there is always profit in buying heifers at this age and training them until they are fully-developed cows. The milk given will more than pay for The milk given will more than pay for their keep, and the cow can be trained to be a nearly continuous milker, which is not easy after she has been in careless hands and allowed to go dry a long time after her first calf. It pays better time after her first calf. It pays better still to raise the heifer calves, always supposing, of course, that they are well enough bred to be worth raising. A cow born and bred on the farm will do better than she can ever do if taken to another place. This home instinct in the cow is very strong, as is shown by her return home from a long distance if she ever finds herself free to do so.—[American Cultivator.

Beet Pulp and Dairying.

HOARD'S DAIRYMAN of January 7, in a six-line item, strikes the nail on the bead. It says: "The refuse pulp from sugar beets at the Rome, N. Y., sugar factory is in strong demand among the neighboring farmers as by-feed for cows. It may come to pass that the production of beet sugar and dairy products will be allied

products. products."
This is being demonstrated in Callfornia at several points, and the beet pulp is dumped into long troughs, twenty feet wide at bottom and thirty twenty feet wide at bottom and thirty at top, where it slowly becomes cured for use. At the Alvarado Sugar Works a herd of 200 cows end numerous farmers use a fraction of the pulp at a cost of 50 cents a ton. It becomes somewhat acidulated after several months and is greatly relished by the animals. There is no expense to preserve the and is greatly relished by the animals. There is no expense to preserve the pulp, as beyond a foot from the surface the atmospheric conditions have no effect and the interior is completely siloed. With bran, hay, etc., in small proportions the cows thrive and make milk at a low cost. The evidence is all in favor of this beet pulp for cattle, and as California is going in for sugarbeet culture and the erection of factories, extensively, we can show our eastern friends what there is in the proposition.—[Western Creamery,

GENERAL AGRICULTURE.

T IS sometimes complained that Cal-ifornia farmers are slow in adopt-ing new ideas. On the contrary, in-vestigation will show that our farmers are more progressive than those of any other State or country. Look at the wonderful achievements of California

wonderful achievements of California horticulturists during the past quarter of a century in fruit-growing, raisin-making, wine-making, dairying and other branches. Speaking on this subject, with special reference to fertilization, Prof. Hilgard recently said:

"In the Middle West it has taken forty or fifty years to convince the farming population that if productive agriculture is to continue, returns to the soil in the shape of fertilizers must be made, while in Califorpia the farmers have taken hold of fertilizing. They have been, and now are, fertilizing lands freshly taken into cultivation, and of enormous native fertility, because at times these lands would not produce the wished-for crop. In California crop shortage is, in a great number of cases, and also invariably in new lands, simply a sign that some physical disability negative, in the subfornia crop shortage is, in a great number of cases, and also invariably in new lands, simply a sign that some physical disability, usually in the substrata, prevents the utilization of the soil's richness, so that to add more is wholly ineffective. This 'fertilizing mania' causes the useless expenditure of a great deal of money, but it is greatly preferable to the 'skinning of the land' that has actually devastated some of the finest agricultural regions, notably of the cotton States. The most thorough misapplication of fertilization, in the ordinary sense, occurs in the case of alkali lands, which suffer from excess rather than from lack of plant food, and require a wholly different mode of treatment, which has been carefully developed by the California experiment station.

"In the repression of insect pests California fruit-growers have been most energetic, as their exposure to the direct importation of all the world's pests required. The spray pump is nowhere, probably, in such universal use, where sprays failed, fumigation in the gas tent has become an accepted fact, and the demand for colonies of insect-

Where sprays failed, rumigation in time gas tent has become an accepted fact, and the demand for colonies of insect-destroying beetles and parasites, both animal and vegetable, is a steady one, as indeed is that for improved processes of all kinds."

Saving Bones for Fertilizers.

A GREAT many farmers take pains to save the bones of animals killed and used on the farm as a means of fertilizing their cultivated fields.
Wherever the commercial phosphate
shows that it is needed by its effects
on the crops to which it is applied, it on the crops to which it is applied, it shows that the kind of plant food found most plentifully in bone is needed. In all such cases bones should be saved. The best, of course, are the bones which have not been boiled or

on the short of the dependent of the second of the state of the second o be saved. The best, of course, are the bones which have not been boiled or cooked in any way, and which have not been long exposed to the air. There is a great amount of available nitrogen in the gelatine of the bone, and this is dissipated by cooking or by long exposure to the air.

But the fresh bone is not easily available as plant food. E can be made so in two ways. The or commonly recommended and the one to grind the bone or pulverize it in some way and then break it up into fine powder by applications of sulphuric acid or common oil of vitriol. But there is another way by which the bone may be made still more available. That is to cut the fresh bone fine and feed it to fowls, and to grind the burned or cooked bone in mills and feed it to hogs, cows, or whatever stock will eat it. A little bone meal mixed with the corn meal or bran ration of milch cows will be all the more readily eaten by them. Most of this will come out partly digested in their excrement. Then, if sulphuric acid is added to the compost heap, it will divide still further the undigested parts of the bone meal that have been eaten. The sulphuric acid will also save the nitrogen of the manure heap from waste, converting it into a nitrate, in which form it is most available for crops.—[American Cultivator.

#### EPWORTH LEAGUE.

DISTRIBUTION OF PRODUCTS IS THE ECONOMIC PROBLEM.

Dr. Beard Traces Industrial Devel ent and Comments on the Distribution of Wealth.

BRIGHT SIDE OF LIBBY PRISON.

PERSONAL REMINISCENCES TOLI BY BISHOP McCABE.

Many Amusing Incidents Related. A Fat Dutchman, Wedged in a Tunnel, Blocks the Road to

The attendance at the assembly of the Epworth League and the School of Methods is increasing, as interest in the proceedings and in the sub-jects being taken up widens outside the

bounds of the league itself.

At the present time the discussion of social reforms is in the air, and yesterday the Simpson Tabernacle was well filled—the auditorium being crowded—to listen to Dr. Beard's exposition upon a phase of this subject. While highly suggestive, the urgent demands of the audience for further light upon remedial measures indicated the widespread interest taken in the

day's services began with exercises of song at 8:45 o'clock, conducted by Prof. Excell. At 9 o'cloc Prof. T. Nicholson spoke to the school of the English Bible. He dealt particularly with the period of the judges and the rise and development of the Hebrew nation. He gave a vivid picture of the home life of the Hebrew people, and the forms of political organization under which the Israelites lived from the time of Abraham until the division of the kingdom under Jeroboam. Prof. T. Nicholson spoke to the scho-

under Jeroboam.

After a solo by Prof. C. H. Gabriel, a paper was read on 'The Junior Tree,' by Miss Alice A. Brown. This was an urgent plea for the junior department.

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A "Model Cabinet" was next conducted by the Rev. T. M. Larkin, there being a full showing of league officers upon the platform. The 'model' meeting was carried out in detail, and many useful suggestions were made by the leader in response to questions from the audience. The most thorough and hearty coöperation between the pastor and the members of the cabinet, representing the various committees, was the essential point insisted upon to make the cabinet meetings a success.

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The afternoon session was opened with the usual service of song, that is proving one of the attractive features of the assembly and school. At 2 o'clock Dr. J. N. Beard began his second address in the school of sociology, his subject being, "The Man and the Machine, or the Rich and the Poor." The auditorium was filled, and the very large audience followed the speaker with close attention during the hour set apart to him for an elaboration and discussion of his theme.

Dr. Beard prefaced his remarks by acknowledging that it would be impossible in the limited time to do more than merely touch lightly upon the subject, which had many and most varied ramifications. Inasmuch, however, as most people spend one-third of their time in work of some kind—the

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their time in work of some kind—the most strikingly important part of their time—this aggregated effort has a most important bearing in the uplifting of humanity.

"Not so very long ago," said Dr. Beard, "men were dependent for all of their physical wants on muscular power, and the race increased as their power of production increased as their power of production increase of muscular power. Now the industrial revolution, so termed, makes it possible to increase production indefinitely without any increase of population. There exists the difference between muscular booker of production interfactly without any increase production in the interfact without the production in the interfact without any increase production in the interfact with an overlap of the work of 150,000,000 and without the production of the work of 150,000,000 and without the production of the work of 150,000,000 and without the production of the work of 150,000,000 and without the production of the work of 150,000,000 and without the production of the work of 150,000,000 and without the production of the work of 150,000,000 and work of 150,000 and 150,000 and

same now as in any previous age, but the average man that labors—is compelled to pay a large part of his income in providing himself and family with those necessaries of life which have not been materially cheapened. Dr. Beard quoted the economic law, generally conceded to be true, that "as the outlay increases there is a proportional decrease of that amount spent upon the things that are not actually necessaries," and gave it as his opinion that the rise in the standard of the poor man's living was not in anything like the same proportion as in the case of the opulent class.

"Then again," the speaker resumed, "while the workingmen are massed to gether, and labor difficulties are continually coming up, the men who used to control the tools have now lost control of the means of production. Aggregations of capital have been necessary for the developments made along the line of industry, and everywhere we hear of demands on the part of the workingmen to regain control of the means of production.

"A great deal has been said about monopolies, but we are ever ready to condemn monopoly, while forgetting that certain advantages accrue from the aggregation of labor. With large capital cheapness is assured in the purchase of raw material; there is a better opportunity afforded for obtaining statistics upon which may be based accurate information; there is economy in the labor employed, and a lower cost of inspection. All of these questions are involved in the question of production. In the question of distribution there are lower rates given for transportation; information of demand from a wide territory is facilitated; advertising is more economical; there is a greater steadiness in production and prices, and an improvement in quality of the goods. There are doubtless economically sound, notwithstanding the difficult problem involved in it, the tendency is increased for the tendency toward monopoly, and by a movement which is economically sound, notwithstanding the difficult problem involved in it, the tendency is inc

000 familles, .39 per cent. owned 23 per cent. of the entire amount, and 6,625,000 familles, 52 per cent. of the entire number, owned 4.40 per cent. of the entire number, owned 4.40 per cent. of the entire wealth, with an average of about \$415."

Just as Dr. Beard had hurled these interesting figures at his audience time was called upon him. He had in a sketchy way diagnosed the disease afficiting the body politic, and his hearers wanted to hear something about a remedy. Demands came from various parts of the hall that Dr. Beard proceed, but he stated that he did not desire to pose as a regenerator. He had his ideas upon the subject, of course, and later in the week might have something to say upon that subject, but meantime, having exhausted his time, he must give way.

Prof. T. Nicholson then spoke on the "Literary Department of the League," and brought to bear upon the subject, as in the other departments he has had in charge. With apt illustration and semifacetious remark he enforced the ideas he desired to inculcate, and filled in the time allotted to him pleasantly. The usual missionary and pentecostal service brought the afternoon session to a close.

BISHOP M'CABE'S ADDRESS.

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Chaplain, "well. he'll be forgiven sometime under the circumstances. But he didn't, and crossing his arms he said: "Look and see yourseit." They didn't find anything and let him go. How I blessed him," said the speaker,"—for I borrowed some of that money later on."

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All of the fun, the classes formed for instruction, the stories told and ther innumerable funny situations in which he was involved were described, while a few of the sad and painful incidents were also dwelt upon. One of the funniest incidents related, perhaps, was in connection with the escape of 109 men by means of a tunnel. "I believe all would have got away," said the bishop, but for an accident. There was a German that didn't get any thinner during his stay in Libby. When his turn came to creep through the tunnel he got along all right until it narrowed and he got stuck fast. He roared for help, and he got stuck fast. He roared for help, and he got it—from the man behind, and the man behind him again. Imagine the situation—liberty in front, Libby Prison behind, and only a fat Dutchman blocking the way."

During the hour and a half that the lecture lested the audience was alternacely moved to laughter and \$2 ars, and frequent applause repeatedly caused the bishop to momentarily stop to allow the feeling of the audience to find outward manifestation.

#### NEXT THING IN EDUCATION. President Edwards of Throop Addresses the Ebell.

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The feature of the Ebell's regular monthly social meeting yesterday afternoon was an interesting address by President Waiter A. Edwards of Throop Polytechnie Institute on "The Next Thing in Education." President Edwards prefaced his address with a few graceful words of congratulation to the club on the presence with them again of their president. Mrs. P. C. Baker, who has recently recovered from a serious iliness. The speaker urged the necessity of personal and intelligent interest on the part of thoughful men and women, as well as taxes and public opinion, in perfecting the schools, and drew his hearers' attention to a brief résumé of what had been done in educational fields during the last twenty or twenty-five years. These years, he said, had been very fertile in new plans, methods and theories, new methods in science, manual training and child study; but although this activity in following up something new, meant movement, it did not necessarily mean progress.

It is not necessary that the next thing in educational progress should be some new method. It is the part of wisdom to stop and review carefully those plans already advanced, to see if they do not contain something more. No doubt a great deal has been done under the name of child-study that was foolish, and this is said without in any degree detracting from the usefulness of those who have studied it wisely. Child-study is well done when it is considered as not only concerning a period of a few years, but as connected with endless development. The influence wielded upon the child by the teacher is not as if the latter were working, like the carpenter or stone-cutter on dead matter, but upon a living matter that has its own process of growth and its own principles of growth, and a teacher can have no success except as he works along these individual lines. It is unnecessary to say that here is not as if the latter were working, like the carpenter or stone-cutter on dead matter, but upon a living matter

the student himself becomes a severe judge and can see for himself any faults in his work.

In considering the future of manual training, its relation to art work, with which it is intimately connected, must be considered. The work of itself seems to invite development and originality of thought, and therein lise its danger, for the main purpose of manual training is not the main purpose of art. It has been proven by experiments in the schoolroom that manual has an enormous influence in intellectual development, and the question is, how can it be used to the greatest advantage in connection with book study. Only when it is really a part of the curriculum, not plastered on, can it bring the greatest good to the pupil.

The speaker said that he thought the girls had been neglected, and that in considering them there was room for much thought and study. The best results in education are obtained only when there is a corelation between the school, home and plays. In the discussion that followed, Dr. Norman Bridge dwelt on the need of a broader, more practical training for girls in those lines which are of especial interest and usefulness to them. Mr. Van Liew followed with a strong plea for an education that would make good, broad-minded citizens.

## BOODLER BOYCE.

"SMOOTHY" IS FOUND HIDING IN MONTREAL, CANADA.

The Infamous Legislative Briber Traced to His Lair by a New York Newspaper Reporter.

IS "NOT PROTECTING HANNA."

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Startling Statements of the Fugitive, Who Says That Money Was Used in the Fight at Columbus, Ohio.

[Following is the full dispatch from Montreal reporting the discovery in that city of the notorious and infa-mous H. H. Boyce, boodler and fugitive. Of this dispatch a short synopsis has already appeared in The Times. The complete report is now reprinted from the Cincinnati Enquirer of the

from the Cincinnat Enquirer of the 6th, to which it was wired as a special from Montreal.—Ed. Times.]

MONTREAL (Quebec.) Feb. 5.—H.

H. Boyce, who is alleged to know better than any one else about the bribery of Representative John C. Otis of Cincinnati, to elect Mark Hanna to the Victor States Senate from Ohio, has United States Senate from Ohio, has been found by the New York Journal. he is hiding in this city, where he can ignore a summons from the Ohlo Leg-islature to appear and give testimony which might embarrass Mark Hanna and others high in office.

He admits freely that money was used in electing Hanna, and says that he can tell a story which will startle

"I am not protecting Mark Hanna," he said. "It is another. It is some one in Washington. It is McKinley," It was several weeks ago that H. H. Boyce came to Montreal. Why he should have assumed the name "H. H. Bond" no one knows except himself, but he did this, and for more than two weeks he was known as Mr. Bond. "Also give me letters addressed to H. H. Boyce," he told the clerk.

There was nothing very unusual about this. Hundreds of defaulters and men evading justice in the United States come here for safety and assume names just to

KEEP OFF CURIOUS PERSONS.

Mr. Bond was shown to room No. 365. He had little to do with the other guests at the hotel. Callers were few, and when the much wanted man left his room it was only to get his mail. Then he quickly closeted himself again, and most of his time was spent again, and most of his time was spent in writing letters. Whom these letters were to only Boyce knows. He did not trust them to the bell boys at the hotel. He took a walk every afternoon, and then the letters—there were

hotel. He took a walk every afternoon, and then the letters—there were often a dozen or more—were deposited in the postoffice, and so Boyce spent his time, keeping out of sight as much as possible and answering no questions as to his business or his prospect. His board was paid regularly, but Boyce was not thought to have an abundance of money.

Friday a week ago Boyce seemed troubled. He paced up and down the corridors of the hotel for an hour or more. Then he announced that he was going away.

"I am going to Ottawa," he said, "but I shall be back very soon."

That night Boyce was gone, and he may have gone of ottaw—the may not. On Sunday in the hotel he became I time since his stay in the hotel he became I time since his stay in the hotel he became Bond. I have been to ottaw and fixed things so that I can't be incriminated. My name is this," and he scrawled "H. H. Boyce" on the register: in a bold hand.

A reporter for the Journal knocked at Boyce's room yesterday morning. He found Boyce writing, as usual.

On the dresser were six or eight sealed letters.

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After making himself known, the reporter told Boyce his mission. Boyce looked up sharply, and his voice quivered when he re-

"I can say nothing about this case."
"Do you say that you know nothing of the bribery of Ohio legislators to elect Mark lanna."

COULD NOT TALK.

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It was some time before Boyce replied.
Then he answered:
"I can't talk."
"Why are you in Montreal, when you are wanted in the United States to give testimony which will either prove a man innocent or incriminate him?"
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"I am not protecting Mark Hanna, and Mark Hanna is nothing to me."

"Whom are you protecting?"

Again, he repeated: "I am not protecting Mark Hanna. I am protecting some one at Washington. It is McKinley."

Boyce seemed sorry that he had made the last remark. He tried to offset it by saying flattering things of the President. He realized that he had let a cat out of the bag.

"Why are you trying to protect McKinley?" Why are you trying to protect any one, when by protecting them you let the guilty persons escape?"

Boyce cleared his throat and began:
"I am an American. Were it Cleveland in office at Washington—and I have no love for Cleveland—it would be the same. I would protect the head man of the United States for the honor of my country, if for no other reason. I am in Montreal on business connected with Alaska, and it's nobecy's business; and while I say that I can tell the whole history of the election of Mark Hanna to its minutest details, I do not think the time has come to speak. When it does come I will tell the story to its end."

"Will you protect McKinley then?"

Boyce evaded answering this question fully.
"I shall protect Mr. McKinley always. When the time is ripe for the exposure of the Mark Hanna election I shall write the stery in full over my name and the Journal shall have it."

"Then you admit that money elected Hanna, and that some one was bribed?"

"I' admit nothing now. I admit nothing, I am protecting some one high in authority, and my duty tells me to

HOLD MY TONGUE."

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"Any publication at this time of my being in Montreal or of my Alaska scheme will mean a loss of \$50,000 to me. I don't want to be quoted, and I don't want anything pubblished. I promise you to write the full story when the proper time comes. It has not corrected." What office did your brother-in-law, Mr rrington, want? Are you not expecting him

flushed to crimsen and fire shot from his case.

Who told you about my brother-in-law?

Don't mention his pame in this case. He is a scientist not a fighter. His name shall not have the controlled the cost survey. His name shall not the he has been mentioned as will tell you then been been mentioned as will relie you then been mentioned as will relie you to controlled the Cost Survey. His name shall not be brought into this disagreeable controversy, and this exposure. Bring nip name in if you must. I am a fighter and an old scidier. You can't hurt me, but by brother-in-law shall be spared."

If has been said that Boyce was holding his tongue and keeping in Canada for an excellent purpose, which may be of great henefit to Mr. Harrington when President McKinley makes an appointment which he expects to make at an early date. Hence the anger he displayed when Harrington's name was mentioned.

"How long are you going to stay in Mont-real?" was asked.
"That I cannot say. I will say, however, that it is solely business interests which are keeping me here, and when I left New York the publication was made [ & the effect that I had run away owing debts. This is not true, and I do not owe a cent in New York. I have receipts for every cent. I MAY HAVE OWED."

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"If was a great injustice to me and my family to say that I was running away from debts. I am not a rich man, I'll own, but I am not broke, by any means, and don't expect to be."

Boyce is not staying here for his health, or of his own free will and accord. It is cold here, Snow is waist deep, and Boyce has few acquaintances and no friends, It is anything but pleazant to be in Montreal at this time of the year, and Boyce would not stay with New York so close at hand did he not know too much for someone's good.

As to that Alaska scheme, all that can be said is that no one knows aught of it save Boyce.

#### A REGULAR KLONDIKE.

PICKPOCKETS DO A BIG DAY?
WORK AT SAN PEDRO.

our Hundred Dollars Reported Stolen and the Returns not Yet All In-An Ex-Police Officer Robbed With Several Others.

The scheduled salling of the Alice Blenchard, laden with Alaskan gold-bunters, proved a bonanza for the pickpockets at San Pedro, yesterday. Four cases which were reported netted the gang of thieves which infested the town \$400 and the returns were not all in last night.

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San Pedro was crowded yesterday with a motiey collection of humanity which arrived on the early trains. The crowd surged about the gang plank, and passengers were compelled to force their way through the jam. The rick-pockets began work early, as detection in such a crowd of excited beings was nearly impossible. The great majority of the passengers carried bundles of blankets and clothing and these bundles alded the thieves in their work. As a passenger appeared near the gang plank, forcing his way slowly through the jostling crowd, someone would shout "blankets overhead," and as it was much easier to hold the ciumsy bundles above one's head than to drag them alongside, banging against others and retarding progress, the men invariably obeyed the order. This was the opportunity for the pick-pockets, and they quickly availed themselves of it. When a man had both hands in the air, clutching a heavy bundle and both eyes fastened before him on the ship, it was an easy mutter for the thieves to rifle his poskets. One man, whose name was not learned, early in the day bewalled the loss of a man, whose name was not learne early in the day bewalled the loss of

One man, whose name was not learner, early in the day bewalled the loss of a critified draft on a San Francisco bank for \$196. Ex-police-officer J. R. Cowlee of East Los Angeles fell a victim to the thieves and was robbed of \$100 in cash. He was forced to return to this city and recoup yesterday afternoon as he had no idea of the identity of the thieves and was determined to continue on his journey.

David Way, of Vernon, was one of those whose pockets were picked. He lost \$85 in cash and his baggage checks. Another man, unknown, renorted the loss of a \$20 gold piece in a similar manner Altogether, the day netted the pickpockets a good day's wages for a Klondiker. Detectives Goodman and Steele were present during the day but fafled to discover the thieves They returned to San Pedro again last night, as the ship did not sall yesterday, as scheduled. They expect to apprehend some of the thieves.

A Four-footed Argonaut Turns Back
Among those who assembled on the
wharf to see the Alice Blanchard depart for the Arctic gold fields with her
load of argonauts, was Deputy Constable Tom Quinn. The lynx-eyed minion of the law had no friend in the
crowd to bid adleu, but he was there
to look for a certain St. Bernard dog
belonging to Louis Gaubatz, a signwriter who resides at No. 1615 East
Twelfth street, this city.
Mr. Gaubatz missed his dog a few
days ago, and, having a well-grounged
suspicion that some would-be Klondiker had roped him in, he swore out a
John Doe warrant for the thief and
had Deputy Consable Quinn watch the

John Doe warrant for the thier and had Deputy Constable Quinn watch the steamer. The officer was rewarded by seeing the dog on the wharf in custody of one of the departing gold-seekers. Quinn lost no time in seizing the dog Quinn lost no time in seizing he dos and threatening to arrest he man who had him. The fellow was only too glad to surrender the animal, on condition that he would be allowed to go on his way to the Arctic. He declared that he bought the dog from a negro for \$3, and had not the least suspicion that he was stolen.

The bow-wow is all that Quinn wanted, and, having regained the animal, he returned to the city without making an arrest. It was hard to tell whether Gaubatz or his dog was the more rejoiced at being reunited.

The animal is a fine St. Bernard, and would be cheap at \$25. In the Arctic regions he would doubtless be worth more. The name of the argonaut who had appropriated him was not ascertained by the officer. The dog is all he wanted.

Under the auspices of the local patriotic societies a valuable and most interesting collection of the original drawings and paintings illustrating Senator Lodge's "Story of the Revolution" are now being exhibited in various cities throughout the country. The pictures represent the work of many distinguished artists and will attract much attention by reason of their historic interest.

August Linstrom's statue of "Light" will soon be exhibited at the annual exhibition of the American Sculptors' Seciety, New York. For the modeling of this figure the artist used fourteen models. Its general outline was modeled from Miss Harris, a professional model, who posed about one hundred hours; the back was modeled from Miss Harris, a professional model, who posed about one hundred hours; the back was modeled from Miss Helen Longstreet and the hands and feet from those of Miss Sage.

There seems to be a scarcity of perfect models of the feminine form. Mr. Mercie, who is at work on a monument to be creeted in honor of Gounod, says that it is next to impossible to find women whose physical personalities and facial expression fit them to serve as models of Sappho. Marguerite and Juliette, by whose effigies the composer's bust is to be surrounded.

The resignation of ten prominent members of the Society of American

What office did your brother-in-law, Mr. Harrington, want? Are you not expecting him to be made Supervisor of Census?"

Boyce became angry at once. His face flushed to crimson and fire shot from his cycs.

"Who told you about my brother-in-law? Don't mention his pame in this case. He is a scientist, not a fighter, His name shall not be brought up in this case. I will tell you that he has been mentioned as the chief of the Coast Survey. His name shall not be brought into this disagreeable controversy, and this exposure. Bring my name in if you must. I am a fighter and an old scidier. You can't hurt me, but by brother-in-law shall be spared."

If has been said that Boyce was holding his tongue and keeping in Canada for an excellent purpose, which may be of great benefit to Mr. Harrington when President McKinley makes an appointment which he expects to make at an early date. Hence the anger he displayed when Harrington's name was mentioned.

As to the methods adopted by the bribegivers and bribe-takers when Hanna was elected, Boyce was dumb as an oyster. He would neither tell who furnished the money nor who paid it. He also refused to say that Otts had received the \$1500 alleged to have been given him. He said:

"I' will only tell you that when the truth

#### ZOLA TRIAL SIMMERS.

TO EXCITEMENT, AND LITTLE NEW

he President Interposes His Usual Veto When Reference is Made to the Dreyfus Case-Clever Ma-neuver of Clemenceau.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] PARIS, Feb. 10 .- [By Atlantic Cale. 1 The examination of M. 'auriex the former Minister of Justice, was completed at today's session of the Assizes Court of the Seine, before which M. Zola and M. Perrieux anan ager of the Aurore, are being tried, the former for writing and the latter for printing a letter reflecting upon

Esterhazy court-martial. M. Tauriex said that while he was Minister of Justice he had nothing to do with the Drevfus case. He approved M. Schurer-Kestner's agitation of the matter.

When Commandant Fornesitti was called, M. de la Gorgue, presiding Judge, refused to allow him to be questioned regarding the Dreyfus case, and M. Laborie, counsel for M. Zola, announced that, owing to the action of the court, he would abandon the examination of Commandant Fornesitti and Capt. Le Brun-Renaud and others whom he only desired to ques-

tion regarding the Dreyfus case.

Maj. Paty du Clam was called and
refused to reply to questions put to
him relative to Mme. de Comminges. The major also refused to reply to "professional secrecy."

Gen. Gonz and Col. Henry gave ex-

planations of the indiscretions of Col. Picquart, who had knowledge of some secret papers of the Minister of

Gen. Pellieux, who was appointed to investigate the Dreyfus case and upon whose report Maj. Esterhazy was court-martialed, was examined. Gen. Pellieux said he would tell the whole Pellieux said he would tell the whole truth and not plead "professional secrecy." He then proceeded to relate the story of the Esterhazy inquiry and said that Matthieu Dreyfus and M. Schurer-Kestner both admitted that they could not prove the charge against Maj. Esterhazy. During his testimony he was about to refer to the Dreyfus case, when the presiding Judge gently interposed his usual yeto.

TESTIMONY RULED OUT.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] PARIS, Feb. 10.-M. Dupuy, the former Premier, was then called and M. Laborie began to question him regarding the case of Dreyfus, which the presiding Judge vetoed, whereupon M. Laborie announced that he would

M. Laborie announced that he would throw up the examination of Mr. Dupny and other former Ministers, as the ruling of the presiding Judge made it fruitless.

M. Thevenet, a former Minister of Justice, who was next examined, said he could easily understand why M. Zola was exercised by the "veiled lady story." M. Zole he added had acted story." M. Zola, he added, had acted in good faith, for complete truth had not been thrown on this matter and M. Zola's was not the only troubled

M. Thevenet expressed satisfaction at the acquittal of Maj. Esterhazy, which, he said, proved there were no traitors in the French army, but he "boldly insisted" that complete light had not been cast upon the grave affair which, he added, interested the

whole of Europe.

M. Salle, a lawyer, followed M. Thevenet on the witness-stand. The presiding Judge refused to allow-ques tions to be put to him concerning the Dreyfus case, and a heated dis-cussion between him and M. Laborie ensued. The latter asked for a short adjournment in order to draw up a formal application that these ques-

tions be allowed.

When the hearing was resumed, M. Laborie submitted the application re-

M. Clemenceau, counsel for the Aurore, supported him in a skillful maneuver. The former asked that formal notice be taken of the fact that M. Salle on the witness-stand though a member of the court-martial, that a secret document was submitted to the court-martial."

The court refused both applications but M. Clemenceau, by this expedient of reading a question in the form of an application, practically obtained what he wanted. The court then adjourned.

FEARS FOR THE FUTURE. [ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT,] NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—The Herald's Paris correspondent, describing the turbulent scenes attending the trial Emile Zola, says that the uneasine Emile Zola, says that the theashess as to the future, while reflected in the press, is much deeper than the news-papers care to admit, and one of the leaders of the anti-Semitic movement has gone so far as to declare that leaders of the anti-Semitic movement has gone so far as to declare that France might have another St. Bartholomew in which the Jews would be the sufferers. Certain it is, the cries "A bas Zola!" have been succeeded by those of "A mort!" (To death with him.)

The Echo de Paris says: "The hoarse The Echo de Paris tays, voice of rict is muttering."
Where every scribe's report is colored according to the opinions of himself and of his paper, it is a matter of extreme difficulty to diagnose the public feeling through the press re-

of extreme difficulty to diagnose the public feeling through the press reports.

Wednesday afternoon possibly 15,000 people gathered in the neighborhood of the Palais de Justice. The crowds were, while waiting for the court to rise, orderly and not over-excited. The Immense majority were apparently there with the object of seeing, rather than of making, trouble. Here and there hot-headed members would vociferate opinions, and when these, as was the case nearly always, were unfavorable to Zola, they were frequently couched in the form of a menace. Several instances where a partisan of Zola ventured to uplift his voice, it was drowned by opposing clamors. M. Zola is the object of the bitterest personal animosity. The vilest names have been hurled at him. His attitude is diversely described.

La Petite Journal, reporting his exit from the Palais de Justice yesterday, says he himself was on the defensive, carrying a cane, as if determined to defend himself against attack. Le Gaulois, on the other hand, thought he looked absolutely limp and despondent, and deaf to Maitre Laborie's encouraging words.

In the eyes of Eclaire, it is reported that he was fearfully pale and almost green, with his features contracted by nervous tremors.

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.-[Exclusive Dispatch.] S. B. Ross is at the Astor; W. L. Vall is at the Murray Hill.

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[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON (D. C..) Feb. 4.—Assistant
Secretary Howell of the Treasury Department

In the wreck of the Austrian bark Mattea for Pensacola, at Palermo, before reported, the captain and six of the crew were drowned.

corn, centals, 570; potatoes, sacks, 400s onions, sacks, 203; Australia, 624; bran, sacks 100; middlings, sacks, 269; hay, tons, 470 hdes, number, 332; raisins, boxes, 55; quick sliver, sacks, 50; wine, gallons, 38,309.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

(rigures in parentness, unless otherwise stated, give volume and page of miscellaneous records and recorded maps.)

The following is a list of the transfers in real estate recorded yesterday and involving amounts of \$1600 or more:

Louis Phillips to Mary N Soper, a portion of lot 2, block J, of Phillips's addition to Pomena, consideration \$1503.

J. W Trosthe to William B Finch, lot 5 of J Bullis tract, San Antenio rancho, consideration \$200.

J Bullis tract, San Antenio rancho, consideration \$8000.
Southern California Furniture Company to Mrs Z J Jargscrff, lot 16, block C, of the Sherman tract, consideration \$1050.
Mrs Elizabeth Scott to Charles A Cole, lot 3 of A A Rolfe's subdivision of lob 5 of the north half of lot 7, block 73. Hancock's survey, Los Angeles, consideration \$1000.
W C Holliday to I V H Cowles, a portion of lots 1, 2, 9 and 10 of Deitz Adams-street tract, consideration \$4450.
Ellen Huddleston to Harriet Harvey, the Cowens Bros' block on Broadway, between Third and Fourth streets, consideration \$450.

WHEN PAPA WAS A BOY.

"When papa was a little boy,
You really couldn't find
In all the State of Washington
A child so quick to mind.
His mother never called but once,
And pa was always there;
He never made the baby cry,
Or pull his sister's hair.

"He never slid down banisters,
Or made the slightest noise,
And never in his life was known
To fight with other boys.
He always studied hard at school,
And got his lessons right;
And chopping wood and milking cows
Were papa's chief delight.

"He always rose at 6 o'clock.
And went to bed at 8.
And never lay abed till noon
And never sat up lare.
He finished Latin, French and Greek
When he was 10 years old;
And knew the Spanish alphabet
As soon as he was told.

"He never grumbled when he had To do the evening chores, To do the evening chores,
And ne'er in all his life forgot
To shut the stable doors.
He never, never thought of play
Until his work was done;
He labored hard from break of day
Until the set of sun.

"He never scraped his muddy shoes
Upon the parior floor,
And never answered back his ma,
And never banged the door,
But. truly, I could never see,"
Said little Dick Malloy,
"How he could never do these things,
And really be a boy."
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#### BUSINESS.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

OFFICE OF THE TIMES Los Angeles, Feb. 10, 1898.

MONEY IN ABUNDANCE, According to the Financial Letter of San Francisco, an over-supply, or rather a plethora, of money exists in that city at present, and heavy balances in cash are held by financial institutions, expecially, the exprints thanks. The especially the savings banks. The managers of these concerns are seeking employment for this overplus, and naturally turn to the bond and stock market as a means to invest.

#### COMMERCIAL.

SHIPPING GREEN ORANGES. How the shipment of green oranges from this section hurts the reputation of Southern California is shown in the following letter from an Indiana lady to her Riverside agent:

following letter from an Indiana lady to her Riverside agent:

"What is the matter with the market for California oranges? Everybody here buys Florida oranges in place of California fruit, and I don't blame them, for the California oranges aren't fit to eat. I think the California people make a great mistake by shipping oranges so early, when they are green and sour. The people here in the East buy them once or twice and then remark that they don't want any more California oranges; and most of the time Florida oranges; and most of the time Florida oranges sell for 10 or 15 cents more a dozen. I haven't bought has been from California, for I couldn't go back on my own product. I told Lora to tell you to send me couple boxes of oranges as soon as you had a chance. I want to show some of them what good California oranges are."

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The practice is certainly an unde-The practice is certainly an undesirable one, but it is difficult to see how growers are to be stopped from shipping fruit before it is ripe as long as they are offered a good price for it.

More evidence of the same kind comes from Perrs, in Riverside county. The Riverside Press says:

"F. J. Fogg of Perris is an orange-grower. He owns one of the few nice groves on the west side at Perris. He used to be a fruit dealer in the Far East.

used to be a fruit dealer in the East.

"Not long ago Mr. Fogg wrote to a gentleman with whom he used to be engaged in business—a man in whom he has the utmost confidence—and asked him what would be the chances to get him to take some California oranges. The reply was in substance as follows:

follows:

"Early in the season I bought a carload of Riverside oranges. I had heretofore handled Florida fruit, but determined to buy California. The result was disastrous. The fruit was very green. I haven't finished compromising and rebating on account of that car of fruit yet. My customers tried faithfully and hard to work it off at any old brice and in many instances failed elements. , and in many instances failed al-wholly.

nost wholly.

"'I suppose you have fully ripe fruit now, but the California dog has got a now, but the California dog has got a bard name, and you might as well kill him for all of my customers. I fear I could not sell them—even your best fruit, at lowest prices."

HONEY AND GLUCOSE. A former resident of Redlands writes from the East to his father in that city that the professor of agriculture in Yale College, twho is quite interested in California products, had been using strained honey, but bad stopped using it, as he had found it to contain too much glucose. This adulteration has been undoubtedly added in the East, as glucose is not used by beemen in this section.

HIGHLAND ORANGES. J. J. Valentine, president of Wells-Fargo Express, following his usual custom, has this year sent a number of boxes of choice oranges to friends and patrons in various parts of the world, selecting the best fruit that he could find. This year he has again sent fruit from Highland. Altogether 275 boxes of oranges have been shipped by Mr. Valentine.

THE RAISIN SITUATION. A review of the raisin situation in a late num-ber of the Fresno Expositor states that up to January 1, 2600 carloads had that up to January 1, 2600 carloads had left Fresno, as against 2500 carloads to the same date last year. This would indicate a crop at least equal to that of last year. The report of the secretary of the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce states, upon the authority of the Southern Pacific Company, that 1561 cars only have been shipped to eastern points. The Expositor states that there is practically no demand for seedless Sultanas or Thompsons, their place being taken by the machine-seeded raisins.

A SHORTAGE OF WHEAT. The London Agricultural Gazette declares that both buyers and sellers of wheat on both sides of the Atlantic have failed to realize the serious character of the "statistical position;" that estimates indicate a deficiency in relation to consumption of 240,000,000 bushels, and if recent amended estimates are trustworthy, at least 300,000,000; that visible stocks are the lowest in seven years, and that the fact of free movement and full supply so far proves that the deficiency will prove all the more pinching later on, compulsorily reducing the consumption in the spring and early summer. And yet, May wheat option prices are 7½ cents lower than December, and July 17 cents lower. "With all their paper wheat, they cannot add one grain to the supplies, but

writing of her usual weekly letter !

to her mother.

The letter assured the anxious old lady that the writer was quite happy, that there was no necessity for worry,

and that dearest mamma might make herself quite contented at St. Augus-tine. Charley was the best of husbands and, although very much engaged at Columbia with his abstruse experi-ments and his new book on "Commenhe was extremely attentive and kind. And she remained, with

erlasting love, mamma's dearest ughter Violet Ransome. 'Of course mamma won't believe it,"

said young Mrs. Ransome to herself, with a kind of comic despair. "She has lost all confidence in men, and

she's always asking about the skeleton.

Thank goodness, there isn't one!" On the otherwise clean blotting pad upon which Mrs. Ransome had been writing, she observed an impression of

her husband's caligraphy. A hand-mirror stood on the table, and half un-

to her mother.

what those who believe in the power of gambling sixt ms say they can do, and are doing is to keep prices low while farmers have any considerable quantity of wheat to cell. Then the bears will become buils for a time, and prices will be run as they were last June."

GENERAL BUSINESS TOPICS. LOBSTERS BECOMING SCARCE. The Massachusetts Fish Commission ers give it as their well considered opinion that the lobster is about to

disappear from Massachusetts water. There have been carefully framed laws for the protection of this complicated and valuable crustacean, but they do not seem to protect. The lobster catch in Massachusetts has decreased nearly 50 per cent, in the last ten years. This should open a good market for the California lobster, which is really not a lobster, but a crawfish, yet is so much like a lobster as not to be distinguished from it when canned. The real lobster has also been planted in California waters, and may before long become plentiful.

\$1,000,000 steel plant in Birmingham, and with this end in view has, through local experts, secured options for Iron ore lands. This step was brought about, it is said, through the rapid encroachment of Alabama iron on Great Britain's markets, and the successful manufacture of commercial steel in the plant of the Birmingham rolling mill, now in constant operation. It is the purpose of the syndicate to ship a large part of its products to England, for use in factories turning out finished products.

#### LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET.

EGGS, BUTTER AND CHEESE.

EGGS, NUTTER AND CHEESE.

Eggs have taken a plunge 'down the toboggan slide toward the lower prices that generally rule at this season of the year. Sales yesterday were made at 12½014 cents, but the bottom seems to have dropped out and bedrock will probably be reached in a few days. It is usual for eggs to be weak at this time of year. On February 10, 1893, the price was 17@18; on the same date in 1894, they were weak at 12@13; in 1895, 16@18; 1896, 15; 1897, 12½, and on the 13th of the month last year they dropped to 11 cents, and on the 24th to 10. Hence it can hardly be expected that eggs will raily again this season.

Generally firm. No change since last report. POTATOES-Per cwt., Highland Burbanks, 5@1.00; Hemet, 1.15; Salinas, 1.10@1.20; com-

55@1.00; Hemet, 1.15; Salinas, 1.10@1.20; common. 65@50.

SWEET POTATOES—Per cental, 1.00@1.20.
ONIONS—Per cwt., 2.55@3.10 as they run;
2.15@3.25 for fancy.
VEGETABLES—Beets, per 100 lbs., 85; cabbage, 75; carrots, 85; parsnips, 1.00; turnips, 85; Hubbard squash, 85; tomatoes, 1.35@1.65; cauliflower, per doz., 40@60; celery, 45@50; lettuce, 15@20; spinach, 20; parsley, 30@35; radishes, 20; lecks, 20; dry chiles, 75 per string; evaporated peppers, 14@15 per lb.; green pepers, 17%@20 per lb.; garle, 3%@4; green peas, 4@8; string beaus, 15@17%.

POULTRY AND GAME.

FRESH FRUITS AND BERRIES.

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FLOUR AND FEEDSTUFFS.

SHORT STORY OF THE DAY.

WHO WAS BELINDA?

[PUBLISHED IN THE TIMES BY SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT.]

26.00; rolled barley, 21.00; cracked corn, 1.10 per cwt.; feed meal, 1.15.

Market firm. No change since last report. WHEAT—Fer cental, 1.204.35 for sh.pping millers quetations, 1.50 for job lots.
BARLEY—Fer cental, \$50.87½ for shipping millers' quotations, 1.00.
CORN—Fer cental, large yellow, 90.9224/small yellow, 92½405; white, nominal; millers quotations, small yellow, 1.05; large yellow good to the property of the prop 00. HAY — Per ton, alfalfa, 10.00@12.00; barle 0.00@12.00; oat, 10.00@13.00; wheat, 10.00 STRAW-Per ton, 4.00@5.00.

Firm at last quotations.

HAMS — Per lb., Rex brand, 9½; selecte
alid cure, 8½; pienic, 5½; boneless, 9.

BAGON—Per lb., Rex breakfast, 10; fanc
trapped, 12; plain wrapped, 11½; light me
ium, 9½; medium, 8½.

DRY SALT PORK — Per lb., clear bellie;
; short clears, 7½; clear backs, 7.

DRIED BEEF—Per lb., insides, 14¾; out
dos. 10. PICKLED BEEF - Per bbl., 12.00; run pickled Pork - Per bbl., Sunderlan PICKLED 14.60.

LARD—Fer lb., in tierces, Rex. pure let 6%; lvory compound, 5%; Rexolene, 5%; sp cial kettle-rendered leaf lard, 7; Oran brand, 50s, 6%; 10s, 7%; 5s, 7%; 5s, 7%.

FRESH MEATS.

Firm, with upward tendency. BEEF-Per lb., 6½67. VEAL-Per lb., 768. MUTTON-Per lb., 7; lamb, 3. PORK-Per lb., 6¼66½. LIVE STOCK.

Very firm.

HOGS-Per cwt., 4.00@4.12½.

CATTLE — Per cwt., 3.50@4.00 for prime cers, 3.00@4.25 for cows and helfers.

SHEEP-Per head, wethers, 3.75@4.25; ewes, 00@3.25; lambs, 2.00@2.25.

HIDES, WOOL AND TALLOW.

No change since last report.

HIDES-Dry, as they run, 15 per lb.; klp,
2 calf, 18; bulls, 7.

WOOL-Nomina...

TALLOW-Per lb., 2@21/2. HONEY AND BEESWAX.

Demand quiet; prices steady. HONEY—Per lb., comb, in frames, 7@10; strained. 4@5½. BEESWAX—Per lb., 20@25.

NEW YORK MARKETS. Shares and Money.

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[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

JEW YORK, Feb. 19.—The most interesting ture of today's stock market was the manning in which it regarded the Spanish Minis's resignation. In view of the sensitiveness the recent past to everything connected the the Cuban question, its disregard of an ident involving so acute a phase of feeling noteworthy. The view taken of the subject Wall street was that the possibility of danin in the street was that the possibility of danin in the street was that the possibility of danin in the street was the possibility of daning the street was the possibility of daning the street was the street was no great heavy of the street was not have not all the street was not uniform, and were not oultaneous. Considering the volume of ding from the railway stocks were notably vall. In those which show large gains, the vances were made at different times during be day, first one and then another of the case or groups of stocks being taken up did pushed. The local transactions scored the great advance, and showed the heaviest advance, and western preferred were conspicuous in edges and the strength of Northw [ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

POULTRY AND GAME.

Poultry firm; good demand for young stock.

Game weak and in over-supply.

POULTRY—Per doz., good heavy hens, 4.50

4.75; light to medium, 3.75@4.00; young
roosters, 4.75@5.25; old roosters heavy, 4.50;
brollers, 3.00@4.00; ducks, 5.00@6.00; turkeys,
live, 13@14 per lb.; dressed, 15@16.

GAME—Per doz., cottontails, 1.00; quall,
1.00; doves, 55@75; plover, 75@1.00; common
sinpe, 50; English sinpe, 1.00; teal ducks, 1.25

@1.50; widgeon, 1.25@1.50; sprig, 2.00@2.50;
mallard, 4.00@4.50; canvasbacks, 5.00@6.00;
brant, 3.00@3.25; honkers, 5.00.

FRESH FRUITS AND BERRIES.

Firm at advanced quotations. BEANS-Per 100 lbs., small white, 2.15@2.25; Lady Washington, 2.00@2.10; pinks, 3.25; Lima,

Firm at last quotations. FLOUR-Per bbl., local extra roller process, .60; northern, 5.65; castern, 5.75@6.50; gra-am flour, 2.30 per cwt. FEEDSTUPFS-Bran, per ton, 24.00; shorts,

back in her chair. "Belinda who, I wonder?"

She knew his penmanship sufficiently

She knew his penmanship sufficiently well to feel sure that she could not be deceived upon that point. The whole story seemed clear to her now. Her dear mother, with her large experience of the world, had been right after all.

"And there is a skeleton," said the trembling Mrs. Ransome. Then she tore her letter to St. Augustine into a thousand pieces. As the last plece went into the waste paper basket, her husband walked into the room. Mrs. Ransome gave a start.

"My dear," said he, "I'm afraid you're nervous: I seem to have frightened you." Then he sat down in an armechair, and adjusted his spectacles.

"I must say, Charles (she only

chair, and adjusted his spectacles.

"I must say, Charles (she only called him Charles when she was angry.) that I can't help admiring your utter disregard of conventionality." She took up a book—it happened to be "How to be happy though married"—and, twisting it from side to side in her excitement, made an attempt to speak with calmness. "I have been reading an interesting fragment, Professor Ransome. Shall I tell you about it?"

"Certainly, my dear," answered the

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M. K. & T. 48.... 96 Va. Cen. dfd..... 4½ N. Y. C. 1sts.....117½ Copper and Lead.

NEW YORK, Feb. 10. — Lake copper very firm, 11.00 bid and 11.15 asked.

Lead, strong; brokers, 3.50; exchange, 3.70. Petroleum.

GENERAL EASTERN MARKETS

Grain and Produce.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] Grain and Produce.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 10.—Soon after the opening May wheat dropped to \$94,6964, on realizations, then a slow advance started which carried the market up to \$94,6964, when a reaction occurred, May declining this time to \$96,6964, when a reaction occurred, May declining this time to \$96,6964, when a reaction occurred, May declining this time to \$96,6964, when a reaction occurred, May declining this time to \$96,6964, when a reaction from the control of the season. But the control of the season and the corn the Argent in caused some hesitancy for a time. Broomhall estimated the Argentine shipping surplus at 22,000,000 bushels, and said he looked for shipments from that country to Europe this month of about claft of the season. Receipts were small size scontinue in more than ample supply. Mexican limes received were york was also in, under second decline. About 11 o'clock the market began strong and active. An authoritative New York dispatch estimated that our stocks there did not exceed 150,000 barrels, outside the contracted to ship 500,000 barles for wheat by the Lehigh Valley road to the eastern seaboard, which were circulated seated as were confirmed tooky at any sold proper should be according to the proper that Joseph Leiter had contracted to ship 500,000 bushels of wheat by the Lehigh Valley road to the eastern seaboard, which were circulated yesterday, were confirmed tooky at any sold proper should be according to the proper than the market is still lower prices; the season was going forward on a through rate to Europe. There were also are should be according to the proper should be according to the proper should be according to the proper should be according to the prices and the prices and the prices are also as a still lower prices; the market is still lower prices; the proper should be according to the prices and the prices and the prices and the prices are CHICAGO, Feb. 10.—Soon after the opening

Flour, barrels Recelpts. Shipments.

Flour, barrels 15,000 15,000
Wheat, bushels 44,000 6,000
Corn, 365,000 149,000
Oats, 225,000 233,000
Barley, 4,000 10,000
On the Produce Exchange today the butter market quoted: Creamery, 13@19; dairy, 13
@17. Cheese, quiet, 8@8½. Eggs, fresh, 12½
@13.

Chicago Live-stock Market.

CHICAGO, Feb. 10. — Cattle fairly active, prices ruling about steady. Sales were largely at 4.35@5.10, common dressed-beef steers going for 4.00@4.25 and occasionally below 4.00. Texas cattle, 3.25@4.30 for helfers, cows, bulls, stags and oxen, at 3.85@4.50 for steers; stockers and feeders, 4.10@4.50; prime helfers, 4.30 feeds, 4.10@4.50; prime helfers, 4.50 heavy packers to prime heavy-weights; bulk, 3.92½@4.00. Light-weight hogs comprised the larger part of the receipts, and sold at the usual discount, while pigs went largely at 3.60 (3.85, few going below 3.00@5.00. The market closed weaker. Trade in sheep and lambs was less active at weaker prices, sheep being less active at weaker prices, sheep being wanted at 3.2504-165 for prices, sheep being wanted at 3.2504-165 for prices, sheep being grades, ewes selling largely at 4.004-50. Yearling sheep brought 4.5005-10, and lambs were in good demand at 4.7505-75 for poor to prime lots, few going below 5.25. Heavy lambs and heavy sheep sold badly. Receipts: Cattle, 10,000 head; hogs, 35,000; sheep, 14,000.

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London Financial Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—The Evening Post's
London financial cablegram says: "The stock
markets here were dull. Dear money is beginning to have an influence, although it is
not expected that it will have a really bad
effect on the market, because the dearness is
nartly due to the healthy condition of trade.
There were very large borrowings today from
the Bank of England, amounting probably to
22,000,000. Americans were above the New
York parity, but, except for Erle preferred
and Union Pacific shares, the market was listless. Argentines and Brazils were lower.

Mines were easier. Grand Trunk was better on expectation of a favorable settlement. The reported sales of lands by the Northern Pacific for the retirement of its first-mortgage bonds is not believed here. Gold is in strong de-mand, partly for South America. The Paris bourse was better."

Kansas City Live-Stock Market.

OIL CITY (Pa.) Feb. 10.—Credit balances, 65. Certificates opened with cash sales at 73½ and closed 77½ bid for cash. Sales were heavy and the feeling was strong. Total sales, 68,000 barrels; shipments, 5501 barrels; runs, 101,336 barrels.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—Today's statement of the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash balance, \$216,787,258; gold reserve, \$165,369,712. Boston Stock Market. BOSTON, Feb. 10.—Atchison, 13¼; Bell Telephone, 269; Burlington, 102%; Mexican Central, 5½, Oregon Short Line, 24¾.

LONDON, Feb. 10.—Consols, 112%; silver, 61-16d.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS. Grain and Produce.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

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SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 10.—Wheat is firm; spot is unchanged, but futures are higher, following an advance at Chicago; offerings in the sample market are light. Barley is unchanged for spot goods; options are steady; not much offering and holders are firm. Corn still offers sparingly, the demand is limited; some dealers quote higher than our prices; today's receipts were small. Hay is not very active; buyers still hold off, but dealers are firm and prices are sustained. No changes in feedstuffs. Potatoes are firm. Onlons are steady. Green peas are higher; some arrived for Alameda, first of the season. Receipts of vegetables were light. Apples are lower; receipts during the past few days have been heavy; the weakness is more on fancy stock. Large navels are still scarce, and bring full prices; small sizes continue in more than ample supply. Mexican limes received were in good condition; the market is still in butter; the market is seasy at quotations. Eggs are a drug, and the market is still lower; they are pling up and buyers are waiting for still lower prices; the market is very weak.

PRODUCE QUOTATIONS.

| can limes, 6.00@7.00; oranges, navels, 1.00@ 2.50.
| Butter-Fancy creamery, 26; seconds, 24½@ 25; fancy dairy, 23½@24; seconds, 21@23.
| Cheese-New, 11; old, 9@10; California cream cheddar, 10@11; Young America, 11@12; eastern, 12@13.
| Eggs—Store, 18@19; fresh ranch, 20@21; eastern, 17@18.
| Poultry — Turkey gobblers, 11@12; turkey hens, 11@12; old roosters, 3.25@3.50; young roosters, 4.50@5.50; small broilers, 3.50@4.50; large broilers, 5.00@5.50; fryers, 5.00@5.50; lens, 3.00@4.00; old ducks, 3.50@4.50; young ducks, 4.50@6.00; geese, 1.25@1.50; old pigeons, 1.00; goslings, 1.75@2.50; young pigeons, 1.50@1.75.

San Francisco Mining Stocks. SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 10. - The official closing quotations for mining stocks today

were as follows:		mining neocus today
Alta	18	Kentuck Con 3
Alpha Con	4	
Andes		Occidental Con150
Belcher	26	Ophir 49
Best & Belcher	38	Overman [
Bullion	7	Potosi 23
Caledonia	17	Savage 27
Challenge Con	29	Scorpion (
Chollar	38	Sierra Nevada 92
Con. Cal. & Va	85	Silver Hill 3
Crown Point	16	Union Con 38
Exchequer		Utah Con 10
Gould & Curry	26	Yellow Jacket 24
Hale & Nor	150	Standard 150

Los Angeles Mining Stock Market. [Quotations by Mining and Stock Exchange.]

LOS	ANGEL	ES, Feb		ŝ
Name of stock-		Sa	les.	
Cast Amargosa	\$ .75			
old Bug				
ucky Star	1.00			
Johawk-Acton	1.00	22,000 at		
		18,000 at	1.00	
old Dominion	.03%	1,000 at	.03%	
aurel Mt		6,000 at	.021/4	
Rand Mt	.75			
Vedge	.04	2,000 at	.0414	
Unlisted active-				
Bay Horse	2.50	1,000 at		
al Verde	1.25	50,000 at	.75	

Caliboard Sales.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 10. — Wheat was dull: December, 1.31%; May, 1.39%; barley steady, May, 961%; corn, large yellow, 1.05@ 1.071%; bran, 20.50@21.50. Drafts and Silver.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 10.—Silver bars 55%; Mexican dollars, 46@46½; drafts, sight 20; drafts, telegraph, 22½. Receipts.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 10.—Flour, quarter sacks, 9490; wheat, centals, 3890; barley, centals, 4180; oats, centals, 650; beans, sacks, 4396

32 cups, 25 cts. A sample cake of GHIRARDELLI'S MONARCH

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1-Off Sample Sale

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J. W. HORNE. Auctioneer.

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14 HORSES-Saturday, Feb. 12. At 10 A.M., RHOADES & REED will sell at Mr. Smith Thomas' "City Stock Yards," cor. Aliso and Lyon Streets, opposite Cracker Factory, 14 head well broke single and double Driving and Saddle Horses, sound and gentle stock. Just arrived from Owens Valley and will positively be sold without

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LINES OF TRAVEL. NOVEMBER 22, 1897.

JOS ANGELES TERMINAL RAILWAY—
NOVEMBER 22, 1897.

PASADENA:
Leave Los Angeles—8:20 a.m., 9:30 a.m.,
12:15 p.m., 5:25 p.m., 5:10 p.m.
Arrive Los Angeles—9:22 a.m., 11:10 a.m.,
1:42 p.m., 5:05 p.m., 6:20 p.m.

MT. LOWE AND ALTADENA:
Leave Los Angeles—1:30 a.m., 3:25 p.m.
Arrive Los Angeles—1:10 a.m., 5:05 p.m.
The only line from Los Angeles making connections with Mt. Lowe Railway
without change of cars.

GLENDALE:
Leave Los Angeles—1:00 a.m., 12:30 p.m.,
5:15 p.m.
Arrive Los Angeles—8:12 a.m., 1:35 p.m.,
6:30 p.m.

Afrive Los Angeles—5:12 a.m., 1:35 p.m.,
6:30 p.m.

LONG BEACH AND SAN PEDRO:
Leave Los Angeles—9:25 a.m., 1:45 p.m.,
\*\*5:15 p.m., \*5:30 p.m.
Arrive Los Angeles—\*\*8:15 a.m., \*9:00
a.m., 1:25 p.m., \*4:50 p.m., \*5:10 p.m.

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consciously she turned the pad towards it. "I wonder to whom he was writing?" she said to herself. It was quite easy to see; Mrs. Ransome glanced at the looking-glass—quite casually at first; afterwards, her face intensely pink, she gazed at it with great earnestness; "I want you, my dearest," she read, "to believe that I am quite true to you, my dearest Belinda." "Belinda," "Standirg directly in front of her husband, with flushed face and angry gesown, my dearest Belinda." "Belinda," consciously she turned the pad towards

disappear from Massachusetts water

ENGLISH. STEEL PLANT IN AMERICA. It is reported from Birmingham, Ala., on what is presumed to be excellent authority, that an English syndicate has decided to build a \$1,000,000 steel flant in Birmingham, and with this end in view has, through local experts, secured ontions for incomp

will rally again this season.

Butter is a little weaker in tone

Market steady, without special features. APPLES-Per box, fancy belieflowers, 1.25@ .35; fancy reds, 1.00@1.25; choice reds, \$56;90; ther varieties, fancy, 90@1.00; choice, 75@90;

b. box.
PINEAPPLES-Per doz., 5.50@6.00.
LEMONS - Per box, cured, 1.50@1.75; un-LEMONS — Per box, cured, 1.500 ured, 1.00@1.25. GRAPE FRUIT—Per box, 4.50. BANANAS—Per bunch, 1.50@2.00.

Moving slowly. Prices nominal in most

NUTS — Walnuts, paper-shells, 7@8; fancy softshells, 6@7; hardshells, 4@5; almonds, softshell, \$@10; paper-shell, 9@11; hardshell, 6@7; pecans, 9@11; fiberts, 12; Brazils, 12@12½; pinones, 10@11; peanuts, eastern, raw, 6@7; roasted, 6@3½; California, raw, 3@5; roasted, 6½@7.

Closing Stocks-Actual Sales

The professor seemed very much per-

turbed.

"My dear Violet," he commenced; but his wife interrupted him with—"I want you to answer my question." Then he began again:

"Will you allow me to say—" Mrs. Ransome, now thoroughly aroused, here intervened once more.

"Stop this nonsense, Charles. All I want to know is, did you write this letter?"

"Yes, of course I did. It's only a part

Yes, of course I did. It's only a part

of the letter to the girl, but if you care to hear it, I can tell you the rest."

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"I don't want to know. If this gets out, what will people think of you—a married man—writing such things? You will be disgraced, and will be ordered to resign your professorship. Besides, thing of my position. Do you suppose that I shall allow you, not only to make yourself ridiculous, but to disgrace me."

"All that is true," admitted Prof. Ransome, with dignified concern. "That is all true; and it must never become public. Unfortunately, I can't drop the affair now, but I'm sure you know"—and he smiled at his wife a little anxiously—"there really is no harm in it, and I'm not the only man who—"

"This is intolerable," half shouted harm in it, and I'm not the only man who—"

"This is intolerable," half shouted Mrs. Ransome.

"Yes, of course," continued her husband, "to you the whole thing appears very foolish. But I don't believe that I could have endured the strain of writing that new book of mine, especially while you were away, if at the same time I had not—"

"Then I understand that you now regret having ever written that lettr?" queried Violet, in her most frigid tone.

"That's not the point, my dear," answered the professor, who was now recovering his composure. "That's not what I am sorry for. I'm sorry at being found out. I wanted to keep it onict. And there is really no reason

why anybody but ourselves should of her. Feeling almost distracted, she know. After all, 27/er; man has a bought copies of several magazines in order, if possible, to divert her mind

why anybody but ourselves should know. After all, 57cty man has a hobby of some sort,"

"Charles, I believe you're crazy. Anyway, I refuse to listen to you any longer."

"Well, dear, I can't force you to listen to me if you don't want to. I believe that if you would not be some whole affair you would not be some acknowledged of the whole affair you would not be some acknowledged on the whole affair you would not be some recreation for me while you were away." Then the door slammed and the professor was left alone. Like many other learned men, he was very dense in matters of every-day life, and he had no idea that his wife, to whom he was devoted, really imagined that he had been writing in an improper strain to some girl.

Mrs. Ransome went upstairs and, throwing herself upon the couch, burst into tears. After about ten minutes, her indignation got the better of her sorrow and she determined to leave her shameless husband and to go to her mother at St. Augustine. There was little time to be lost, for the Florida special leaves. New York at 8 o'clock in the evening, and it was now 6:30. Should she meet the professor at dinner at 7 and have one fine, big scene with him? No, she finally decided that a well-composed leiter, inspected by her mother before being sent, would be far more satisfactory. So she packed a trunk and valise as quickly as possible. Then she rang for a movel: "She was now 6:30. Should she meet the professor at dinner at 7 and have one fine, big scene with him? No, she finally decided that a well-composed leiter, inspected by her mother before being sent, would be far more satisfactory. So she packed a trunk and valise as quickly as possible. Then she rang for a movel: "She many of the series of the professor and walked along Broadway until she came to Madison Square. Here she intended to wait for the car that would take her to the Grand Central station. One of the car Colock she quickly left

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#### PASADENA.

SIGN ORDINANCE.

Monthly Meeting of the Medical Socicty—Trio of Runaways—Mar-ringe of George A. Daniels and Miss Laura Belle Packard.

nce.l The merchants of this city are ex-eedingly wroth over the ordinance com-elling them to remove all signs that extend over the sidewalk more than two feet The police have today been handing a copy of the ordinance to all merchants, physicians and others having signs in front of their places of business. As the ordinance reads, it will also necessitate the removal of awnings upon which are printed any letters des gnating the business or even the name of the occupant of the store in front of which is the awning. It is claimed that in section the words. "and devices of any kind used advertising purposes," applies to the awnings, as there is nothing specifically stated in the ordinance that will allow the sated in the ordinance that will allow the awnings to remain in place. The bulletin boards in front of the local branches of Los Angeles and San Francisco napers also come under the ban of the ordinance. The first signs to come down were those of the City Tax Collector and the City Hall sign. both of which extended over the sidewalk more than the two feet allowed by the law. As the Marshal interprets the law, awnings that have no lettering upon them may remain, while those having lettering must come under the ordinance and will have to be removed. He will, however, not press the removed of awnings until he shall have secured the advice of the City Attorney thereon, but will see that all signs and bulletin boards not complying with the law are removed before March 1, or the owners thereof will have to take the medicine prescribed by the ordinance.

PASADENA MEDICAL SOCIETY. wnings to remain in place. The bulletin

PASADENA MEDICAL SOCIETY. PASADENA MEDICAL SOCIETY.

The monthly meeting of the Pasadena Medical Society was held in the offices of Drs.

Janes and Briggs this evening, and was attended by a score of physicians. The doctors intended to discuss the recent scarlet-fever epidemic and to listen to a paper thereon by Dr. F. F. Rowland, the Health Officer, but he was confined to his home by sickness, The sublect was discussed, however, and the opinion was that the present health laws were

A TRIO OF RUNAWAYS.

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About 7 o'clock this evening a horse belonging to J. N. Saunders, a milkman of
North Pasadena, took fright on North Raymond avenue, near Villa street. He dashed
down Raymond avenue, with a ten-pound
weight hanging to the bridle. Turning up
Fair Oaks avenue, he ran Into the provision
store of Rodgers Bros., carrying the carriage with him. As soon as he landed upon
the floor the horse fell and broke the shaft,
the only damage done.

A horse beloneking to a local hardware firm,
driven by a boy, ran away on South Fair
Oaks avenue late this afternoon. Nearing the
old Raymond Hotel grounds, he turned and
retraced his steps until completely winded,
when the boy stopped him, without any damage having been caused.

Two runaway horses attached to a Chinese
regetable peddler's wagon passed through
Union street late this afternoon, and turndugo Cafion.

PASADENA BREVITIES.

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J. T. Williams, the man who was arrested by Marshal Lacey two weeks ago, charged with stealing lap-robes, was before Judge Rossiter today, and despite the fact that several robes have been recovered from places where he had pawned them, pleaded not guilty to the charge. His bail was fixed at \$100 cash or \$200 bond awaiting trial. Williams went back to Jail in default of bail. The wedding of George A. Daniels and Miss Laura Belle Packard. the assistant librarian in Pasadena, occurred this afternoon at the residence of the bride, the Rev. Solon Laurof San Diego officiating. Following the ceremonies a wedding dinner was served.

Prof. G. Wharton James, with more than

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#### ORANGE COUNTY.

#### A Lincoln Monument League Or-

A Lincoln Monument League Organized.

SANTA ANA, Feb. 10.— [Regular Correspondence.] A meeting was held at G.A.R. Hall last night for the purpose of organizing a Lincoln Monument League. Dr. Lyman Gregory was elected president; G. J. Mosbaugh, treasurer, and K. Cleaver, secretary. The following gentlemen were also elected as vice-presidents; Prof. J. P. Greeley, D. H. Thomas, H. A. Peabody, H. McPhee, J. D. Beach, C. E. Buren and W. H. Spurgeon. The league intends to arrange for a mass intends to arrange for a mas meeting at an early date. SHOT AT HIM.

Last evening at 7:30 o'clock, as Mrs. C. D. Beard was preparing to leave her residence, on Fifth street, she observed a man looking in at her window. She returned to her room and, getting her husband's pistol, returned to reast front door. As she opened it the prowler reted to run, and as he ran through the 72 d she shot at him, but missed her aim. Officers were notified, but did not catch the man. ORANGE COUNTY BREVITIES.

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At a meeting of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, last night, the directors, the secretary and the treasurer of the society were appointed officers of the society, and badges of authority were furnished them.

J. S. Chapin of Garden Grove was thrown from his cart yesterday and badly bruised. He was driving home from a trip to the peat lands, when a man by the roadside frightened his horse. The animal jumped suddenly and threw Mr. Chapin out. His feet caught in the wheel, and he was dragged some distance, bruising him quite badly, but breaking no bones.

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Ity Trustee Charles Grouard was cutting wood yesterday, the ax glanced and struck his right foot cutting it to the one at the instep. Medical aid was summoned and several stitches were taken in the wound.

The barn of Otto Froelich, near Grauge, was burned to the ground Tuesday morning. Sewen or eight tons of hay and a quantity of cord-wood were destroyed. The fire is supposed to have been started by some one sleeping in the hay.

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Fred Johnson of Garden Grove, while playing yesterday at school, was accidentally thrown to the ground by a schoolmate, the force of the blow breaking his arm.

# EWS FROM SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA TOWNS, HOW

#### REDLANDS.

City Trustees Open Bids for Fur-

mishing Fire Hose.

REDLANDS, Feb. 10.—(Regular Correspondence.] The City Trustees met in regular session Wednesday night.

A big batch of bids was opened for furnishing the city with 500 feet of 2½-inch fire hose. The prices quoted ranged from 80 to dents per foot. All of the first-grade hose offered was guaranteed to withstand 400 pounds fered was guaranteed to withstand 400 pounds pressure per inch and to wear for three years. The awarding of the contract was laid over

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Charles Hammond was awarded the contract for building an arched culvert on Cypress avenue. His bid was \$174.

An ordinance providing for a sewer on East State street, between Fifth and Ninth streets, was read and passed.

The curriew ordinance was read for the first time. It provides that no boy or girl, under 15 years of age, shall be permitted on the streets or alleys after 9 cclock p.m., except when going to or from some place of regular employment, or when sent upon an errand or accompanied by a parent or guardian.

HORTICULTURAL CLUB.

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Auditorium. About sixty members were present.

A communication was read from Secretary Wiggins of the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce, stating that one day of the approaching State fruit-growers' convention had been assigned to Rediands, and asking what date, between April 10 and 20, would best suit the Rediands people. The secretary was instructed to notify Mr. Wiggins that any day within the dates named would suit.

W. M. Bristol of East Highlands read a paper entitled "A Tale of Two Burros."

Prof. T. H. Kirk gave a talk on "Deciduous-fruit Growing."

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, H. D. Moore; vice-president, C. H. Lienau; treasurer, Mrs. Mary Lynde Craig. C. H. Lienau, R. B. Lane and Dora Conklin were appointed a committee to revise the bylaws and report suitable names for the regular committees.

WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY.

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afternoon.

A letter was read from Col. William G. Schreiber of Los Angeles, accepting an invitation to be present at the celebration. Col. Berry and Gen. Last will also be present with their respective staffs. Co. A, Los Angeles, wants to participate in the competitive drill, but can only do so with the consent of the other companies that filed their entries on time. The railroads will have their special trains arrive in Redlands not later than 9:30 a.m., and late trains will be run out of the city, so that visitors may take in the presentation of prizes and the hop in the evening at the Academy of Music.

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The first meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Y.M.C.A. under the new officers was held Wednesday afternoon.

Herbert W. Nevin died Wednesday of consumption at the home of his uncle, Mr. Keagle. He was 25 years of age and a native of lowa.

#### SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY. Mining Company Files a Big Water

Mining Company Files a Big Water Claim.

SAN BERNARDINO. Feb. 10.—[Regular Correspondence.] A ciaim was filed today by the Black Hawk Gold Company of Los Angeles to all of the water flowing in Cedar Spring, to the amount of twenty-five miners' inches, to be used in quartz gold mining, and for domestic purposes. The stream is located on the north slope of the San Bernardino range. The point where the filing is made is about three miles southwest of Cushenberg about three miles southwest of Cushenberg station. The plan is to build a dam zeross the cafen and run a pipe line to the mines owned by the company, a distance of four or

five miles.

The Black Hawk Company recently came into possession of the mines, which promise well, and on which extensize operations are contemplated.

SAN BERNARDINO PREVITIES.

If was at first supposed that the orculing in of the North San Bernarliao schoolhouse last Sunday was the work of tramps. It is now thought that the deed was done by boys. School Director F. Lesile Smith has swern out a complaint against loseph Liebe, who is believed to have neen assisted by two Mexican boys, who have not been located. One of the panels of the front door was broken in, a window pane was broken, and all of the desks ransacked and the contents thrown on the oor.

Arrowhead Parlor, N.S.G.W., was verted Wednesday evening by Grand Trustees Lewis F. Byington of San Francisco and Irank Sabichi of Los Angeles. The ritual was exemplified by the local organization, after which a banquet was served.

The local agent of the Santa Fé received official notice today that register traffic, both freight and passenger, has been resumed, the blockade caused by the Joharton tunnel fire having been broken. SAN BERNARDINO BREVITIES.

#### RIVERSIDE COUNTY.

Horticultural Club Meets and Elects Officers.

RIVERSIDE, Feb. 10.—[Regular Correspond-ence.] A regular monthly meeting of the Riverside Horticultural Club was held on Wednesday night at the residence of Priestly

Wednesday night at the residence of Priestly Hall.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, E. W. Holmes; vice-president, J. G. Kyle; secretary, E. L. Koethan; Executive Committee, B. Edimiston, James Boyd and J. H. Reed.

The formal report of the Frost-Protection Committee was submitted. This was followed by an informal discussion of the subject by many of the members present. The sentiment was unanimous that much good has been accomplished by the work done, and that it will be easier in the future to secure united action looking to the protection of the crop from frest.

#### THE SUPERVISORS.

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The County Board of Supervisors concluded its work for February today.

Several small claims against the county were sidetracked, and the claims of the grand jury experts were laid over until the next meeting. rante july control of the County Hospital for January shows that the total expense of running the institution was 678.19; number of patients January 1, 27; admitted, 10; died, 2; remaining, 28.

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The County Treasurer's report shows the receipts for January to have been \$14,273.78; and the disbursements, \$27,971.53.

The report of the Horticultural Commission shows that ten inspectors were employed during January at a cost of \$342.05. Many of the orchards being flooded, only 122 trees were fumigated, at a cost to the orchardists of \$88.09.

The Auditor's report shows that there is \$117,435.82 in the county treasury.

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RIVERSIDE BREVITIES. RIVERSIDE BREVITIES.

I. N. Baincourt has filed a claim to the Realization mine in the Pinacate district. P. W. McGrath and E. F. Pickering have located the Mascet mine in the Chuckawalla Mountains.

More than thirty thousand boxes of oranges have been shipped from Riverside during the past three days.

COVINA, Feb. 10.—[Regular Correspond-ence.] Mrs. S. A. Overholtzer died at her home Wednesday at the age of about 70 years. The funeral took place Wednesday at the Published Church.

#### SAN DIEGO COUNTY.

SUPERVISORS OPEN BIDS FOR THE

Report of the Librarian of the Public Library-Two Deaths-Timber Arrives for Mounting the Big

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 10 .- [Regular Corre spondence.] At a meeting of the Board of Supervisors yesterday bids were opened for constructing a tunnel through the Poway I-ill constructing a tunnel through the Poway Fin as follows. John Leatham and Frank E. Bel-den, complete work, \$8500; F. H. Roberts and F. J. Jones, earth work outside of tunnel at 40 cents per cubic yard, loose rock outside of unnel at 30 cents per cubic yard, solid tock outside of tunnel at \$1.50 per cubic yard, garth outside of tunnel at \$1.50 per cubic yard, sarth wark inside of tunnel at \$1.50 per cubic yard, losse rock inside of tunnel at \$1.25 per cubic yard, losse rock inside of tunnel at \$2.50 per cubic yard, losse rock inside of tunnel at \$2.50 per M., bylts, nails and washers, \$160; Messrs. Goodbed\* & Roesner, solid rock at \$1 per cubic yard, losse rock at 65 cents, earth at 25 cents, and the lumber complete for \$2900, or if the tunnel shall all be of earth, the entire work for \$5140. J. S. Nickerson, 12½ cents for read for the earth approach, 24 cents for rock approach, 29 cents for removing earth in tunnel, and 49 cents for removing rock in tunnel, and 49 cents for removing rock in tunnel, and 49 cents for removing earth in tunnel, and 49 cents for removing rock in tunnel, and 49 cents for removing rock in tunnel, and 49 cents for removing earth in tunnel, and 49 cents for removing rock in tunnel, and

The contract for burial of the indigent dead for the ensuing year was awarded to W. W. Whitson & Co., also the contract for furnishing a room in which to hold inquests and post-mortem examinations.

The board this morning began the work of examining the various sites offered for a new county hospital.

SAN DIEGO BREVITIES.

Mrs. Mary Walker, librarian of the Public Library, has filed her annual report. The income for the library from taxes the past year was \$6179.77, and from sale of catalogues, fines, fees, etc., \$208.31. The expenditures were \$6488.08, leaving a shortage of \$192.27. The total circulation of the library for 1896 was 88,293 volumes, and in 1897, 94,685, an increase of more than six thousand volumes. The total number of books now in use by the library is 14,544.

Laura Silverthorn, Senior Lady Commander, assisted by Past Lady Commander Amelia Wolfsheimer, installed the following officers of Ladics of the Maccabes Wednesday afternoon: Alice Smith, Lady Commander; Laura Silverthorn, Licutenant Lady Commander; Daisy Davis, Record Keeper; Amelia Hubbard, Finance Keeper; May Strawbridge, Mistresstat-Arms; Lady Ingalis, Sentinel; Lady Gilkey, Chaplain; Lady Dyvort, Sergeant; Miss Gilkey, Picket. SAN DIEGO BREVITIES.

Chaplain; Lady Dyvort, Sergeant; Miss Gilkey, Picket.

Michael Coughlin, aged 39 years, died yesterday at his home, California and A streets,
of lung trouble. The deceased had been a
resident of San Diego for the past twelve
years. The funeral services will be held Fritday afternoon from the Catholic Church. The
deceased leaves a widow and five children.

Judge Hughes has granted Mrs. Hannah
Byers permission to bring suit against the
Citizens' Traction Company for damages in
the sum of \$20,000, alleged to have been sustained as the result of injuries recently recoived at the corner of Fourth and Walnut
streets while alighting from a car.

The All America baseball team has accepted

The All America baseball team has accepted the challenge of the San Diego team for re-turn games in this city. The visitors will be here again Saturday and Sunday next. The games will be played at Bay View Park.

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Three carloads of lumber arrived here yesterday from San Francisco, consigned to Lieut. Bennett, U.S.A. The lumber consists in most part of heavy timbers, designed for use in mounting the big guns at the Ballast Point fortifications.

The examination of George Wilbur of Oceanside on the charge of falling to turn over public moneys alleged to have come into his hands as City Clerk of Oceanside has been set for February 17.

Mrs. Florence J. Phillips, wife of L. E. Phillips of San Francisco, died Wednesday afternoon of lung trouble. The deceased came to San Diego about a year ago for the benefit of her health.

The Bank of National City has brought

of her health.

The Bank of National City has brought suit in the Superior Court against S. S. Johnstone to recover \$960 claimed to be due as assessment on ninety-six shares of stock.

T. M. Loop has been appointed receiver to take charge of personal property invelved in the suit of L. H. Ainly vs. W. N. Foss.

Vesterday hydro. The Yesterday Judge Torrance granted a divorce to Ione Ford from Harry H. Ford, on the grounds of cruelty.

#### CORONADO BEACH.

ns went back to jail in default of ban. he wedding of George A. Daniels and Miss ura Belle Packard. the assistant librarian Pasadena, occurred this afternoon at the sidence of the bride, the Rev. Solon Lauer San Dieco officialing. Following the cero. Onies a wedding dinner was served.

Prof. G. Wharton James, with more than hundred views of the dances and ritualistic ervices of the Moqui Indians and of the displayed by the John William. F. Solonical Laboratory, tomorrow afternoon, In the free lecture course this evening. In the free course of lectures at Throop Biological Laboratory, tomorrow afternoon, Prof. Arthur H. Chamberlain will lecture apon the "Life History of Lakes," discussing their origin, development and final disappearance.

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Wednesday, private party that arrived Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Bluhm, the Misses Effa and Edna, baby and maid, and Miss Lucie F. Pierce of Chicago arrived Wednesday, to renain for some time.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Biglow, Miss Dally,
Miss Bigelow, Marston Bigelow of New York
are guests at this resort.
Among the prominent eastern arrivals here
yesterday were Mrs. K. D. Chase and A. G.
Chase of Fairfault, Mo.: Mr. and Mrs. W.
H. Erhart of New York, George B. Bugh
man of Pittsburgh; J. R. Musson of Chicago;
Mrs. T. V. McIntyre of Trinidad, Colo.; Miss
C. A. Sheridan and Mrs. W. H. Smith of
St. Joseph. Mo.: and Mr. and Mrs. G. W.
Parks, of Greater New York,
G. W. Thompson of Santa Catalina Island
is here for a few days.
George E. Briggs of Peekskill-on-the-Hudson is a new arrival.
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A Baltimore party arriving yesterday consisted of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Brown, the Misses Brown, two nurses and maid, and Miss Montague.

Mrs. Florence R. Scully, child and maid of Chicago: Miss Blanche I. Rees and Miss Clementine G. Rees of Pittsburgh were among Wednesday's arrivals.

#### POMONA.

Missing Man Heard from After Three Months' Absence.

Three Months' Absence.
POMONA. Feb. 10.—[Regular Correspondence.] Three months ago Jaines Hornbeck
mysteriously disappeared from his home here,
and nothing has been heard of his whereabouts until a day or so since, when word
was received from a hospital in San Francisco that he had for weeks been at the
point of death in that institution, and was
now able to be brought to his home. It was
stated that the invalid had not wanted his
family to know of his illness for fear they
would be greatly worried about him. Whether
his illness was of a character that affected
his mind and led him to leave his home, or
whether his departure was due to other reasons is not known. His daughter, Miss Lucy
Hornbeck, teacher of the sixth grade at the
Sixth-street school, has gone to San Francisco to accompany her father home.

#### WHITTIER.

whittier, feb. 10.—(Regular Correspondence) Wwith the form and Leguna ranchos. The road is to be frun in a straight line from the bridge across New River to a conjunction with Seventh street at the Catholic Cemetery, which will shorten the distance of travel from here to Los Angeles about half a mile.

Mr. Givin, the road supervisor of this district, is now opening up a new road in the vicinity of Los Nietos, in the Bashard neighborhood, which will give an outlet to several tracts of land that have been hedged in for want of proper roads.

WHITTIER.

given for the rash act. The suicide came from Michigan two years ago and was unmarried. The deceased and his father have been living of late at Pine Springs ranch, owned by Under Sheriff Cohenour of Kingman.

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#### Steamer Falcon Arrives After Hav-

Steamer Falcon Arrives After Having Been Overhauled.

SAN PEDRO, Feb. 10.—[Regular Correspondence.]. The Wilmington Transportation Company's steamer Falcon arrived this morning from San Francisco, where she has been for several weeks, undergoing a general overhauling. Much of the boilers and pipes have been replaced with new parts, and above decks the vessel has been remodeled so as to afford greater seating capacity. The same officers and crew that brought the Falcon down will sail tonight with the company's steamer Hermosa for San Francisco, where that vessel will be overhauled for Alaska service.

A probable ciew to the theft of 3850 and some clothing belonging to Albert Eckland. Monday night, was developed Wednesday by the discovery of the ciothing thrown among some cactus near Eckland's lodgings.

The barkentine J. M. Griffith, Capt. Dermott, arrived Wednesday from Tacoma with 750,000 feet of lumber.

The steamer Jewel, Capt. Madsen, sailed Wednesday for San Francisco.

The schooner Bartlett, Capt. Oleson, sailed today for Seattle.

Three dogs, said to be suitable for Klondike export, were, reported today as having been stolen.

The San Pedro Chamber of Commerce decided Wednesday evening to invite the Minnesota editors to visit this city while touring Southern California.

#### VENTURA COUNTY.

HILL, THE MURDERER, NOT SORRY FOR HIS CRIME.

Said He Would Do the Same Thing Again - Thermal Belt Water Company Erecting a Pumping

give their names. But I will say that if I had it all to nass through with again I would act just as I did. So would you. So would any other man. You know that when a man feels his life is in danger, he will do the best he can for himself."

It is generally understood that the defense will rest nearly altogether upon the testimony of Franklin Hill, father of the murderer, as given at the Coroner's inquest yesterday afternoon. Hill, senior, was the only witness to the tragedey. He attempted, without much success, to shield his son as much as possible. Throughout, when questioned by the District Attorney, he answered that he did not remember or he didn't notice his movements.

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The testimony showed, as stated in today's Times, that the trouble had been brewing for some time: that Hill had leased his ranch to Parvin for two years, and then, after losing his job as Santa Paula, attempted to run Parvin off, although he would give \$100 to Parvin to leave the ranch. Hill has resided in this county, according to story, for the past twelve years. He came here from Ohlo. His reoutation in this county is not a good one. By many he was considered a bad man. Several years also he had some trouble with Thomas Lake, a bean buyer of this city. In this dispute he drew a pistol on Lake. A resident of Satlecy also stated yesterday that he had trouble with his wife's folks either a short time before they were married or after their marriace. Hill is a very nervous man. He seends most of his time pacing his cell, which is an extra larke one. His wife called upon him yesterday and was with him for some time. Today his two brothers were in town and called upon the prisoner.

The preliminary examination will be held before Justice Boling on Monday, February 14.

LARGE WATER PLANT.

The Thermal Belt Water Company is erecting a pumping plant south of Main street, near the packing-house, in Santa Paula. The plant, including machinery, 2000 feet, of 14-jinch steel pipe and excavating, will cost in the neighborhood of \$15,000. The machinery is being constructed by the Whitcomb Pump Company of New York, and will be canable of raising 200 miners' inches of water. A mammoth well, twenty feet in diameter, is now being dug, and so far indications for a bountiful flow are good. At a depth of twelve feet water was struck. The contract calls for the completion of the entire plant by May 1. The new plant will insure an abundant supply of water for the company that the Limonera, a large lemon tract, secures its water for irrigation.

#### REFUBLICAN BANQUET.

Final Details Completed. The guests at the Lincoln's Birthday banquet to be given temorrow night at Music Hall, South Spring street, are Music Hall, South Spring street, are per hour.

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banquet to be given temorrow night at Music Hall, South Spring street, are requested to be present promptly at 7:45 o'clock. On arriving at the hall they will be escorted to the reception-rooms by members of the committee, where they will be formed into a double line and marched in order to their seats. The seating will take place at 8 o'clock sharp. Owing to the large number that will be present it will be absolutely necessary to close the doors to the banquet hall at the beginning of the speaking.

The hall will be elaborately draped with American flags, and the golden poppy will predominate throughout the floral decorations.

A part of the San Francisco delegation will arrive today. The Americus Club of Pasadena will be present in force, and late cars will be run for their benefit. Delegations will also be present from Riverside, Pomona, Santa Monica and other places in Southern California.

The committee has reserved a limited number of tickets for the benefit of those who have had no opportunity of securing them before.

The following is the Reception Committee: P. J. Kennedy, George H. Stewart, Fred L. Baker, Thomas Hughes, W. C. Bluett, F. H. Brakesuhler, R. W. Burnham, George B. McLaugblin, W. G. Cochran, A. Caldwell, K. Cohn, A. W. Kinney, John F. Francis, Simpson McClure, Dan Freeman, L. R. Garrett, Frank A. Gibson, F. P. Frost, F. W. Wood, C. C. Bonnell, C. H. Toll, Will Knippenberg, O. T. Johnson, C. R. Staples, J. R. Newberry, C. McStay, H. H. Newmark, W. E. Ludlow, Ferd K. Rule, H. J. Hutchinson, R. J. Waters, George P. Adams, F. S. Musson, W. J. Variel, Mark Jones, C. E. Smith, Henry T. Gage, B. Cohn, S. M. Haskell, James B. Scott, W. E. Arribur, C. H. Martin, E. S. Field, J. G. Rossiter, L. H. Valentine, H. M. Dobbins, James Clark.

Blew Out His Brains.

KINGMAN (Arlz.) Feb. 10.—Yester-

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KINGMAN (Ariz...) Feb. 10.—Yesterday, February 9, Fred Ayers, near Pine Strings, Mohave county, Ariz., tied a string to the trigger of his gun, placed the muzzle to his head and blew out his brains. No cause is given for the rash act. The suicide came from Michigan two years ago and was unmarried. The deceased and his father have been living of late at Pine Springs ranch, owned by Under Sheriff Cohenour of Kingman.

## OFF FOR ALASKA.

ONE HUNDRED GOLD-HUNTERS TO SAIL FROM SAN PEDRO.

They Were to Have Left Yesterday on the Alice Blanchard, but Were Delayed a Day.

THRONGS GO TO SEE THEM OFF.

DESCRIPTIONS OF THE OUTFITS CARRIED BY THE PARTY.

Four Women Among the Fortune. seekers—Complaints That the Ves-sel's Accommodations Were not as Represented.

The steamer Alice Blanchard was to and steamer Alice Bianchard was to sail from San Pedro late last evening with a party of 100 Southern Califor-nians bound for the Alaska gold fields. Owing to unexpected delays in getting her carries about the description of the her cargo aboard, the departure of th

vessel was postponed until today.
The vessel arrived at San Pedro yesterday morning and was docked at the
Terminal wharf in the inner harbor. From the time of arrival of the first train from Los Angeles till well into the evening the wharf was a very busy place. Each of the Alaska pilgrims checked his baggage from this city to San Pedro, and it was necessary for each to exchange his numbered bit of brass for the baggage there, and get the baggage aboard the vessel. With so many to wait on, this process oc-casioned considerable confusion and delay. Then there was the freight to be got aboard in orderly fashion, the lots for Copper River, Dyea and Skag-

Altogether there were probably six or seven hundred people about the wharf during a part of the afternoon.

They inspected the vessel, cast curious looks at the outfits disappearing down Most of those who sail steamer will go to Copper River, but part of them are bound for Dyea and Skaguay. The vessel will touch at San

part of them are bound for Dyea and Skaguay. The vessel will touch at San Francisco, Seattle and Juneau. Quite a variety of outfits was noted. One of the best-equipped fortune-hunters had three suits of underwear, both light and heavy; three sailor shirts, one suit of mackinaw, a lynxskin overcoat and cap, hair-lined calfskin boots, deerskin moccasins, rubber boots, wool, leather and rubber gloves, etc.

Most of the men in the party carried provisions for a year or more, These were put up in small cannas sacks, impervious to water, so that any ordinary wetting would not injure them. The steamer also took about a score of dogs. Most of these were large black animals of rather indefinite breed, but one of them was a genuine Alaskan dog with the appearance of a wolf.

Most of the men in the party are apparently in good condition to withstand the hardships they are sure to find in their search for gold. Their outfits are pronounced excellent. Their quarters in the vessel are in the fore part, between decks. The berths are arranged about the central portion of the compartment where the dining table is placed. The horizontal space between berths is narrow, and some of the passengers complained that the quarters were not what they were led to believe, by the representations made, that they would be. They said they were told that the berth spaces would be they would be. They said they were told that the berth spaces would be partitioned off, instead of all being

M. S. Monroe carried four mules and five tons of provisions for Dawson City. He expects to go by Dyea and Chilcoot Pass, using the mules for hauling as much of the way as possible. He is a brother of George O. Monroe, clerk of Department Six of the Superior Court. His destination is the claim that has been located by his father, W. N. Monroe, about thirteen miles southeast of Dawson City. He is accompanied by Will Matthewson, late of Pasadena, a young man who has attained something of a reputation as a racing wheelman.

J. J. Crego, late linotype operator in

The Times composing-room, was one of the passengers. He will go to Copper River, and prospect the country up that stream. He may go through to Dawson City.

The passenger list included four women. One of these was Mrs. P. C. Kofoed, wife of the purser. She intends to go only to Seattle. The other three women are Miss C. Cristie, Miss C. Vogt and Mass S. Peel, all of this city. They will go to Skaguay. It is their intention to make their way to Dawson City, which they hope to reach by next June.

Besides the people above mentioned, the passenger list includes the following-named people: Edward Webster, N. F. McAlpine, W. S. Redington, Peter Hall, E. Sheehan, D. A. Shaffer, E. W. Doak, C. D. Pratt, F. S. Quinn, E. F. Tinker J. G. Wadsworth, S. R. Sanderson, Dave Way, C. S. Lewis, J. E. Chavin; H. Doty, D. C. Cowan, M. H. Truran, S. L. Davis, Thomas Kavanaugh, Edward Anderson, P. S. Nissen, H. H. Williams, W. A. Wigton, L. L. Brentner, H. W. Butler, W. H. Clay, G. E. Nitch, C. Cole, R. C. Wood, W. B. Pendleton, S. Lucas, W. S. Sranton, W. S. Holgate, S. Holgate, J. J. Crego, W. E. Savage, L. B. Cline, C. T. Musselman, I. Milligan, D. G. Glenn, E. G. Lawrence, Frank Francis, F. E. Haley, J. R. Conlee, G. L. Haley, C. P. Leitch, J. N. Conner, C. D. Lyman, Robert Coffman, D. R. Collins, A. ennedy, C. A. West, M. J. Gress, H. Hermanson, W. S. Myers, E. W. Lusk, R. Miller, W. A. Lucas, C. Reeb, S. L. Kelley, Frank P. Stedman, J. R. Miller, George Crown, William Tusky, G. Alexander, J. A. Graham, C. J. Barhite, R. H. Morgan, Charles Wimer, John Wimer.

The vessel's officers include Capt, Frederick Warner, First Mate Kennelly, Second Mate Steind, Chief Engineer C. H. Tracy, First Assistant William Walker, Steward C. J. Wardell, and Purser P. C. Kofoed.

#### NO FIESTA THIS YEAR.

COMMITTEE OF THIRTY ORDERS THE PROJECT ABANDONED

Left as Souvenirs for Future Generations - The Resolutions

There will be no fiesta this year. The Committee of Thirty, in whose hands the calling or abandoning of a flesta was left, decided yesterday afternoon to abandon the attempt to hold this year the annual festival which has made Los Angeles famous the vorld around.

nival this year would be even greater and grander than those which pre-

of interest and lack of money have killed the movement, and now all that remains to be done is to balance the books for past successes and, after a trial balance is rendered, put them away for reference in the dim and distant future, when a generation of Los Angeleños shall come upon the stage who will revive the carnival and profit by the experience of their greatgrandfathers in handling it.

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books for past successes and, after a trial balance is rendered, put them away for reference in the dim and distant future, when a generation of Los Angeleños shall come upon the stage who will revive the carnival and profit by the experience of their great-great-grandfathers in handling it.

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The decision of the Executive Committee of the Committee of Thirty on yesterday was no surprise. It had been foreshadowed for several weeks, and when the committee met it did not take long to transact the business. Without speeches, the following resolution was read and passed:

"Whereas, the Southern California Railway Company have both positively declined to contribute toward the cost of a fiesta, for 1898; whereas, the Los Angeles (street) Railway Company has

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butions from its greatest beneficiaries, and, whereas, an attempt without such support, to produce a fiesta this year, which would compare favorably with its predecessors, would be futile; therefore be it

fore be it
"Resolved, by the Committee of Thirty that efforts to produce a flesta this year be abandoned."
The resolution was carried unanimously. Then the following letter from the manager of the Los Angeles Railway Company was ordered spread upon the minutes, in connection with the adoution of the above resonlution.

world around.

The flesta has become to Los Angeles abroad what the Mardi Gras is to New Orleans and the Veiled Prophet to St. Louis, and it was hoped that the carnival this year would be even greater and grander than those which preceded it.

But it is not to be, it seems. Lack of interest and lack of money have killed the movement, and now all that

#### SANTA BARBARA COUNTY.

symnasium Outfit Purchased by the SANTA BARBARA, Feb. 10.—[Regular Cor-espondence.] The Tecolote Club gymnasium as been purchased by the members of the kixth Division, Naval Militia, N.G.C., and The guns arrived Saturday and glassclosed racks are being constructed for them, ne members of the division are rehearsing

amateur Thespian roles.

The Goldtree tract, which environs the new sugar-factory site at Laguna Guadalupe, is to be subdivided into small sections, which can be purchased by the average farmer for beet

The Country Club tennis players, R. B. Fithian, H. H. Hunnewell, Jr., R. A. Rainey,

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#### City Briefs.

The Pine Tree State Association will hold its social meeting this (Friday) evening at No. 330½ South Broadway. Supper.

Supper.

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There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union Telegraph Com-pany's office for Arthur R. Price, Gar-rett W. McEnerney and Miss Ruby Al-

eingers, will conduct the meetings at the Salvation Army Hall, under the Nadeau, corner First and Spring streets, on Saturday and all day Sun-day, February 12 and 13.

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EID HIM GOOD-BY.

The "Bachelors' Table" Banquets Dr. Fleming.

For days, even since the memory of man runneth not to the contrary, for nobody knows when it began, seven bachelors have occupied one table in the dining-room of the Hotel Lincoln. The table has long been known as the "bachelors' table," and many a winsome maiden and many an anxious mamma have cast longing eyes toward it as the seven invincibles would nightly file into place and swap stories in an undertone.

But the combination has been broken; one has gone, and now that the net has begun to ravel out, there is no telling where it will stop, or what will happen to the six unhappy "baches" who gaze upon a vacant chair and wonder who will be the next to follow in the footsteps of Dr. E. W. Fleming, who was married yesterday to Miss Francisca Alexander.

When Dr. Fleming made the announcement to his fellow-bachelors and a native of Ohio, and Laura B. Packard, 28 years of age and a native of Maine; both are residents of Los Angeles.

was married yesterday to Miss Fran-cisca Alexander.

When Dr. Fleming made the an-nouncement to his fellow-bachelors that he was about to leave them, con-sternation fell upon them, and they simply gasped. Louis Vetter started to protest against the desertion, and D. W. Kirkland chipped in, but when they heard the name of the prospective bride, they had not another word to say.

Just what to do with Dr. Fleming before he left the bachelors' table forever, was the next question. It was finally decided to give him a banquet, so that when he remembered it he would be sorry that he couldn't be a bachelor and a benedict both at once.

Once the decision was made, the bachelors lost no time in perfecting their plans. A happy thought was a souvenfr bill of fare issued for the seven only, and bearing on the cover seven only, and bearing on the cover the portrait of Miss Alexander as the

fiesta queen.

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The elaborate menu was interspersed with apt quotations. For instance, "It's a condition which confronts us—not a theory," and "Send him many years of sunshine days," etc.

The table had been specially set for the occasion. The chair usually occupied by Dr. Fleming was vacant and draped in mourning, a great stand of calla lilies occupying it instead of the bachelor. At each plate was a boutonniere of violets, and the center of the table was handsomely decorated with a floral piece surmounted with a tiny card, which read, "Tho' lost to sight, to memory dear thou ever wilt remain."

The guests filed in as follows: Louis

remain."

The guests filed in as follows: Louis F. Vetter, James Murray, D. W. Kirkland, W. E. Barnwell, Charles D. Dollinger, J. W. Long, and last, because, as a bachelor he was supposed to be dead, Dr. Fleming. Be it added that he was the happiest-looking corpse that ever escaped a morgue.

de was the happiest-looking corpse that ever escaped a morgue. Each of the guests, except the "de-parted" bachelor, wore an elaborate streamer of crepe tied around his left arm, and they took their seats with be-

arm, and they took their seats with becoming solemnity.

But that settled it.

The dining-room of the hotel has doubtless witnessed many a jolly gathering, but none so jolly as the bachelors' farewell to their comrade. A dinner of many courses, "from soda to hock" and back again, followed, with toasts and speeches from all the bachelors, and a happy reply from the doctor, which amounted to a statement that "he was sorry to leave them, but was awfully glad he was going to do it." and he added that he hoped the other bachelors would see the error of their ways and reform.

A beautiful cut-glass decanter and glasses were presented by the surviving six to Dr. Fleming, and then the formal resolution declaring him "out of the fold" was passed, and the table adjourned.

#### THE SIGNAL CORPS.

Receives at the New Armory-An In-

teresting Programme.
The Signal Corps of the First Brigade, numbering forty-three members, had its day yesterday at the opening of the new Armory at Eighth and Spring

Over a thousand people visited the Over a thousand people visited the Armory during the afternoon and evening. During the afternoon the carrier pigeons took messages from ladies to a station a mile away and the messages were then repeated back by the heliograph, and the copies were returned to the senders as souvenirs. In every case the messages were carried safely and promptly and were correctly repeated.

repeated.

In the evening the large crowd was entertained by a dance, light refreshments being served by the boys in their quarters.

The reception was one of the most successful of the week, and the Signal Corps is consequently jubilant.

#### EXCURSION TO REDLANDS

On Tuesday, February 22, Washingto birthday, the Santa Fé will sell excursi tickets to Redlands and return at \$2.75. least six companies will participate in the competitive military drill, for which large cash prizes are offered to the best-drilled cash prizes are offered to the best-drilled company. Special trains will be run to ac commodate the crowd.

EXCURSION TO SAN FERNANDO MISSION Tuesday, February 15. Delightful carriage drive through orange groves, and the largest olive orchard in Scuthern California, and an old-time Spanish barbacue at the old mission, at merely nominal cost. Train leaves Areade depot at 11:50 a.m. Returning arrives 8:49 p. m. Southern Pacific ticket office, 229 South Spring street.

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#### HARES AND, HOUNDS.

ntries I for y Sunday's Coursing Matches at Agricultural Park. The drawing of dogs for Sunday's oursing matches took place last even g at the club headquarters, No. 143 buth Broadway, before the usual large crowd. Sunday's coursing is a thirty crowd. Sunday's coursing is a thirty-two-dog consolation stake for a purse of \$100, with a much better class of dogs than are usually seen in consolation events. Besides the coursing, the triplet ridden by Lacy, Cromwell and Palmer will go against Bob Hackney's running horse, Prince Hooker, again for five miles, the horse conceding the wheelmen a quarter of a mile.

Sunday week and Tuesday there will be a sixty-four-dog stake for a purse of \$200, for which some of the best dogs in the southern part of the State are entered.

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Beside other business, the club ruled Dr. Withers and Dr. Van Hummell off the field for the part taken by them in the San Pedro entry last Sunday.
Following are the entries and owners for Sunday's matches:
Duquesne Kennels' White Chief vs.
A. Martina's Mose.
C. Spiker's Flying Jib vs. Duquesne Kennels' Mark Honnah.
Duadell & Augustine's Sky Ball vs.
T. Hartnett's Little Pearl.
C. W. Merry's B.B.B. vs. H. Dixon's Red Dick.
Duquesne Kennels' Sailor Boy vs.

Red Dick.

Duquesne Kennels' Sailor Boy vs.

Eastman & Valle's Jack II.

A. McDonald's The Times vs. N. A.

Covarrubias, Jr.'s, Girofle.

J. von Hacht's Monday Mornnig vs.

Ernest W. Fleming, 36 years of age and a native of California, and Fran-cesca Alexander, 32 years of age, also a native of Californi; both are residents of Los Angeles. George A. Daniels, 39 years of age and a native of Ohio, and Laura B. Packard, 28 years of age and a native of Maine; both are residents of Los Angeles.

Albert Jordan, 27 years of age and a native of Texas, and Alice Marsailles, also 27 years of age and a native of Texas; both are residents of Los Angeles.

# MERRILL-In Los Angeles. February 10, 1898, to Rev. and Mrs. H. E. Merrill, a daughter.

DEATH RECORD. NOLTON-Mary A., widow of Maj. R. H. Nolton, aged 76 years 8 months. Funeral notice later. Chicago papers please

Funeral notice later. Chrossy Paper 10, Anna Elizabeth Amidon, wife of Charles E. Amidon and mother of P. B. Corey, aged 48 years. Funeral notice later.

ZEIGER—In this city, February 7, 18%, of heart disease. Charles G. Zeiger, aged 18 years 9 months 9 days; son of Charles F. W. and Emma Zeiger of Congases Junction, Ariz., formerly of Albuquerque, N. M. Albuquerque papers please copy.

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#### MERKERKERKERKERKERKER THE MEN'S SALE,

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